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SHAFTER'S ARMY MAY HAVE TO FIGHT AGAIN

WE MAY HAVE TO FIGHT FOR GUANTANAMO.

General Parreja, the Spanish Commander, Refuses to Be Bound by Toral's Capitulation.

MADRID, July 19, (delayed in transmission).—General Parreja, the Spanish commander at Guantanamo refuses to be included in the "capitulation" of Santiago. According to Spanish military law, a commander can surrender the troops which he personally commanded, but he cannot oblige other commanders at distant points, even though under his authority, to follow suit. Consequently, it is held here that the "capitulation" only comprises about 7,000 troops actually at Santiago.

GENERAL TORAL TO BE COURT-MARTIALED

MADRID, July 20, 8 P. M.—The government has received a dispatch from Captain-General Blanco in which he announced that he has not authorized the capitulation of Santiago de Cuba and asserted that the place was surrendered without his knowledge. As a result General Toral will be rigorously tried by court-martial.

TRANSPORTATION BIDS FOR PRISONERS

NEW YORK, July 20.—Bids for the transportation of the Spanish troops which surrendered at Santiago were opened in the Quartermaster's Department in the Army Building to-day. The bids call for the transportation of 1,000 officers and 24,000 enlisted men, to be transported from Santiago de Cuba to Cadiz, Spain, or any other port that may hereafter be designated. Cabin accommodations are to be furnished for the officers and third-class passage or steerage for the enlisted men. The men are to be provided with suitable galley accommodations, and the United States requirements as to space privileges and ventilation are to be strictly conformed to.

The bids are as follows:

The New England Chemical Supply Company of Boston, $890,000 for all officers and men.

L. A. Thiem & Co., of Philadelphia, $385,000 for 25,000 Spaniards.

James N. Elwell & Co. offered to take on the steamer Neustria, 1,000 enlisted men at $35 each, and all the officers at $75 each.

W. H. Thompson offered a steamer to take 150 officers at $90 each and 1400 enlisted men at $15 each.

George A. Lord, $37.50 per man for the enlisted men, and $72.50 per officer for the officers.

Joseph L. St. John, $37.37 per officer, and $24.87 per enlisted man.

Joint bid: Anchor Line, Cunard Line, the Hamburg-American Packet Line, Robert H. Sloan & Company, the North German Lloyd Line, The Royal Mail Steamship Packet Company, Thomas Wilson's Sons & Co., limited; Frederick Leyland & Co., the Wilson and Firness-Leyland Line, officers at $110 each and enlisted men, $55 each.

G. B. Richards & Company offered the Spartan Prince, capacity, 40 officers and 800 men; and the Tartar Prince, capacity, 50 officers and 1,000 men, at $55 per officer and $25 per enlisted man.

The Tweedie Trading Company offered three ships to take 3,000 enlisted men at $29 each, and the officers at $50 each.

The Spanish Trans-Atlantic Company, through R. A. C. Smith, offered to take all the officers at $60 and all the men at $30 each, agreeing to carry them under the Spanish flag, the United States Government to furnish safe transportation.

The bids were forwarded to Washington.

SPAIN HAS NOT ASKED FOR PEACE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, July 20.—Neither the officials of the Spanish Embassy, those of the British Foreign Office or the United States Embassador, Colonel John Hay, have any news tending to confirm the report circulated in the United States that the Spanish Cabinet has decided to sue for peace. On the other hand, dispatches received here from Madrid late this afternoon make no mention of such a determination on the part of the Spanish Ministry.

The decline in Spanish 4's in Paris and London is another reason for discrediting the report.

A special dispatch from Madrid says:

The powers, including Great Britain, are exchanging notes concerning their attitude in case Commodore Watson comes, and the progress made thus far has been satisfactory to Spain.

POWERS URGE SPAIN TO YIELD.

LONDON, July 20.—A dispatch from Washington received at the United States Embassy here, but not from an American source, says the British Ambassador, Sir Julian Pauncefote, is active in the negotiations.

It is also admitted that several of the powers are urging Spain to ask for peace, the main reason being fear that Commodore Watson's trip will lead to complications.

PEACE RUMOR FROM PARIS.

PARIS, July 20.—The Temps this afternoon says:

Dispatches which we have received late this afternoon lead us to believe semi-official communications have been exchanged between the United States and Spain with a view of sounding the United States on the terms of peace.

ACTIVITY OF THE ENGLISH CARLISTS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, July 20.—The English Carlists are most active and are in hourly expectation of momentous news. The leader of the organization here says:

"We are quite ready for active operations. Moreover, there is no doubt the authorities at Madrid are aware that a Carlist rising is imminent and that it will be successful. We are immensely strong in many parts of Spain, and so soon as the truth of the cowardly surrender of Santiago percolates, our forces will be greatly increased.

"The foreign enlistment act curtails our activity in England, and ever since the Madrid Government began to get into difficulties we have been shadowed day and night by spies and detectives. However, we have money, which is sorely needed in Spain."

CUBANS MUST PROVE FITNESS TO GOVERN.

President McKinley Will Not Permit Them to Wreak Vengeance on Spanish People on the Island.

NEW YORK, July 20.—A special to the Times from Washington says:

The administration is now very well satisfied that Congress in passing the declaration of war refused to recognize the government of the Republic of Cuba. When the resolution was under consideration the friends of the republic made support of the recognition a very urgent condition, some of them insisting that to declare independence without recognition of the government of the republic would be an empty friendship to extend to the insurgents.

Even the men who then advocated recognition are believed to have become convinced that it would have been a serious mistake to have undertaken that as soon as Cuban territory was captured it was to be be turned to the care of the Cubans.

Cuban help of the United States troops has been acknowledged repeatedly, but the recent reports from the camps at Santiago and neighborhood have in some measure impaired confidence in the Cubans and their fitness to assume the responsibilities of government even in Santiago. The administration does not accept without question these fragmentary reports concerning the Cubans that have come to the War and Navy Departments, but there is so much testimony that is disquieting that the President is disposed to be specially thankful that Congress did not impose upon him the duty of turning over Cuba as fast as subdued by the United States to the unhampered control of the Cuban soldiers and citizens.

The Cubans at Santiago seem to have anticipated the President's proclamation when they selected General Demetrius Castillo to be Governor of Santiago as soon as the city should be captured. There was no consultation with the commanding general of the United States forces before this was done. There was no consideration of the people of Santiago when Castillo was chosen to rule over it after Spain had yielded control. There was no announcement by Castillo as to what his purposes would be when he was allowed to assume the Governorship.

BAD REPORTS OF CUBANS.

The reports of today setting forth that some ill feeling has developed among the Cubans toward the United States, and that this may yet result in resistance to the United States forces by Cubans, exactly support the expectation of a number of the Cabinet who recently spoke of the prospect in Cuba.

A State Department officer has also expressed the fear that before long the United States will be occupying about the same attitude toward the Cubans that Spain has maintained for at least two years.

The Cubans are rather expected to develop strong opposition to the sentiments expressed in President McKinley's proclamation, setting forth what is expected to be done by the United States in captured provinces in Cuba. Something savage in the Cuban mind, made evident by the looting of El Caney as soon as the opportunity occurred, desired to find expression in the looting of Santiago, already looted by the soldiers of Spain. The President does not propose that any Cuban city shall be looted by the troops of the United States or their allies.

EQUAL RIGHTS FOR ALL.

The first effort is to be to restore as quickly as possible the opportunities of all residents to resume their customary avocations. Be they Cubans or Spaniards, they are to have a chance to take up the vocations dropped when war compelled the suspension of business. Then the city is to be kept clean. Neither Cuban nor Spaniard can be depended upon to do this.

The Cubans might as well make up their minds to show that they are fit to govern before they can expect to be trusted to govern. The proclamation of the President does not make any difference between the natives of Cuba and of the Peninsula. The Spaniards will not be permitted to butcher or persecute the Cubans. The Cubans will be prevented from wreaking their vengeance upon their former persecutors. This may disappoint the men who expected to drive every Spaniard from Cuba.

"The war by the United States," said a member of the administration, "is against the government of Spain and to free Cuba from its misrule. Itis not against the people of Cuba, whether Spanish or Cuban, or to set up Cuban misrule, and the Cubans may as well make up their minds that the administration will adhere to the policy of its treatment of all classes of the population that surrender to the forces of the United States."

There is a possibility that when the friends of Cuba in the United States have an opportunity to communicate with the insurgent leaders in Cuba they will admonish them that wisdom and a good hope in the future of the island will demand that the suggestions carried in the proclamation be heeded. The President will not stand beside men who seek an opportunity to revenge themselves at the expense of Spaniards for the cruelties suffered by the Cubans for many years.

MAJORITY MUST RULE.

The people of the cities and towns, presumably the people who are interested in property, will, if they are sufficient in numbers to hold the municipal control, and if they exercise it properly, be permitted to do so. There will be no forcible wresting of power from those who by numbers are entitled to hold it, and in moderation use it, and there will be no forcing upon the majority the administration of the courts and civil powers by men whose only title to it is that they fought with Gomez or with Garcia.

There has been no disposition on the part of the United States civil or military officials at any time to disregard the Cubans or to belittle their assistance. To the best of their little ability, it is admitted, they have rendered service at times very useful. At no

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GEN. MILES HAS NOT YET SAILED FOR PORTO RICO

Delayed By the Navy's Failure to Provide a Convoy, But Will Leave on the Yale Today.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—General Miles has been again delayed in sailing from Siboney for Porto Rico. The delay in this case is charged to the failure of the navy to provide the required convoy. The War Department was in cable communication with the General today, and he expects the Yale will sail before night. Meanwhile the reports to the department from Tampa show that so much of the expedition to Porto Rico as was to be drawn from the camp there has already started, though it may be a day or two before the ships leave Key West.

The War Department today was doing its best to hurry forward the immune regiments General Shafter has urgently requested, and it is hoped that they will be gotten off within twenty-four hours.

NO TROUBLE WITH GERMANY.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Further inquiries by the Associated Press today in official quarters as to the alleged complications between the United States and Germany in the Philippines failed to elicit anything which might serve as a foundation for the reports of such complications.

On the contrary, it is learned that there have been recent communications between the two Governments of a decidedly friendly nature, and at no time since the war began has there been greater reason than now existing for confidence in Germany's neutrality in the war between the United States and Spain. Reports of misunderstandings in the Philippines or elsewhere should not be too readily assumed as a basis of inference of national unfriendliness. Indeed, it is believed to be the desire, as it is also the interest, of both Governments that the relations of traditional friendship between them should continue unbroken.

GENERAL GARCIA REPORTED DEAD.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, July 20.—A Kingston, Jamaica, special to the Evening Post says: Cubans arriving from Siboney bring in reports of the death of General Garcia. They make a mystery of it, saying that it should not be known in Cuba yet, or in the United States, for reasons of state, and give no particulars except that he was shot. Spanish refugees here who are officially connected with General Blanco believe the story.

BLANCO HAS NOT RESIGNED.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

MADRID, July 20, 1 P. M.—The Minister of War, General Correa, categorically denies that Captain General Blanco has resigned. He adds that there is absolutely no news from Cuba, "as the Americans control the wires and refuse to transmit official dispatches."

THE TEMERARIO GOES TO BRAZIL.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ASCUNCION, Paraguay, July 20 (via Galveston, Texas).—The Spanish torpeda gunboat Temerario, which has been undergoing repairs here for weeks past, has left this port, going in the direction of Cuyuba, Brazil.

MORE WOUNDED REACH NEW YORK.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, July 20.—The United States transport Seneca, Captain Decker, arrived at quarantine today and was detained by the Health Officer for disinfection. Six of the soldiers will be removed to Swinburne Island for treatment. Dr. Doty says that while these cases are not well marked, and are not by any means yellow fever, he will not take any chances and therefore decided to remove them to Swinburne Island immediately. The steamer will be thoroughly disinfected. The most severely injured soldiers will be sent to Bellevue Hospital for treatment, and the others to Hoffman Island for observation.

WAR PARTY GAINS GROUND IN SPAIN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

MADRID, July 20.—The newspapers here say that a coalition is being organized between the different parties and against the Government on account of the suspension of the constitution. The peace movement is losing ground, and a newspaper ventures the opinion that a British squadron would prevent the American squadron from passing the straits, but the suggestion is regarded as improbable.

DESIGNS FOR DEWEY'S SWORD.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—The Navy Department continues to receive elaborate designs for the sword to be presented to Admiral Dewey under the act of Congress. One of these, which came to Assistant Secretary Allen today, is a bas relief of an actual sword, with the hilt set with many brilliant stones, representing diamonds and rubies. The design itself, with the many brilliants, is more costly than most swords.

OFFICIAL DRAWING.

Little Honduras Lottery Co.

SAN FRANCISCO.—The leading prizes drawn July 16th are as follows:

90,612, first capital prize	$3,750 00
86,182, second capital prize	1,000 00
68,552, third capital prize	500 00
96,001, fourth capital prize	250 00
59,733	125 00
78,662	125 00
16,025	50 00
32,144	50 00
70,170	50 00
50,117	50 00
56,569	50 00

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THE AFTERMATH OF YESTERDAY'S GREAT HORROR.

Explosion May Have Had an Eighth Victim---Grewsome Relics---The Funeral Friday.

The excitement over the explosion at the fuse works at Melrose yesterday has in a great measure subsided, but still there are hundreds of people standing and walking around the scene of the tragedy. Many seek for souvenirs of the grewsome tragedy, and others wander about the scene and the adjacent territory in search of fragments of the victims of the awful crime. The flames have not yet been extinguished in the store-house, but the management has taken steps to restore the fence, which the explosion broke into thousands of splinters.

The tracks on the north side of the grounds which was seriously injured by the fire which broke out after the explosion, have been repaired, and are again ready for use, while the destroyed and wrecked residences in the neighborhood are beginning to receive the attention of their former occupants and many of the latter are resuming possession of their former abodes and putting them into condition for speedy occupancy.

The question which seems of greatest moment to the public is whether or not an eighth victim fell in the great explosion. In so far as could be determined yesterday, the only victims of the dastardly crime were the five Deputy Sheriffs, Mrs. Hill, and the murderous Chinese who caused the explosion.

Since then, Dr. Porter has made a careful examination of the dismembered fragments of the remains of the victims as they were collected in the Morgue and discovered that there were eight right ears, while there were only seven bodies. This discovery, the doctor argued, meant that an eighth man had lost his life, and, as the ear was attached to a section of cheek and jaw, with the part of a lip on which was a light brown moustache, the ear could not have been that of the Chinese who had caused the explosion. To ascertain who the unknown victim is, therefore, has engrossed the attention of the people at the works, as also of Coroner Baldwin, who has left instructions that every fragment of dismembered remains found at the works shall be delivered immediately at his office.

Dr. Porter, however, is satisfied that his discovery cannot be disproved, and is therefore of the opinion that some unknown person has met his death like the other victims in a most horrible manner. Thus far, however, no person is known to be missing, and no word as regards a missing man has been left at the Morgue, neither has any person called

Remnants of the remains continue to make their appearance at the coroner's office. This morning I. W. Pettitt of 316 Tenth street delivered there the left half of the upper jaw of a man. It contained five teeth. One of these, the incisor, had a gold filling. One, a front tooth, was missing, as it had been fixed in with a peg and had been broken off. Still another had a small silver filling. The tooth with the gold filling had evidently had another filling of the same kind on the opposite side, but the gold had disappeared, presumably by the effect of the explosion, or had been fused by the intense heat and had dropped out, because the roof of the mouth, the teeth and the sockets showed that they had been subjected to the action of flames for a considerable time.

Friends of George Woodsum state unhesitatingly that this belonged in life to the dead man. It was known that he had a number of teeth filled in Berkeley and identification of them, it was thought, would be necessary to insure for his widow the benefit of the mortuary fund paid by the Odd Fellows and Woodmen of the World, of which organizations Woodsum was a member.

It was thought at one time that the teeth were those of Charles White, because he had a number of his teeth on the upper jaw filled with gold. When his brother Will saw the piece of jaw this afternoon, however, he was unable to identify the filling of the teeth as that of his brother.

The filling of Woodsum's teeth, a Tribune reporter ascertained this afternoon, was done in January, 1896, by Dr. J. A. D. Hutton of Berkeley. The doctor is in Sonoma now and will not return for a week. His books, however, show that in that month he extracted several of Mr. Woodsum's teeth and put eight gold fillings in others. His books do not show what teeth were extracted or what ones were filled and the doctor alone could give the facts in that matter.

Independently, however, of the teeth, Frank Mason and Dave Sinclair of the County Clerk's office say they are able to identify the remains of Woodsum by the hair which still adheres to the scalp. Representatives of both the Woodmen of the World and the Odd Fellows called at the morgue today and intimated that they could hardly identify the remains by such a remnant.

Another ghastly find was made at the scene of the disaster this morning and delivered at the Morgue. It was that of a right foot which had evidently been pulled off from the rest of the limb about a half an inch above the ankle. The toes were bunched into a heap. The sole of the foot was almost doubled into an arch. The surface was cut in many places and from the limb the tendons portruded six or seven inches. It was supposed that the relic was the foot of the murderous Chinaman.

This find was made by William B. Colligan of 1234 Pacific street, San Francisco. It was picked up 300 yards away from the magazine. The section of teeth above referred to was found 200 yards away from the scene.

The remains of Constable Kock have been removed to the residence of Mrs. Straub on Telegraph avenue near Forty-fifth street, where the funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be in Mountain View Cemetery.

The remains of Mrs. Hill have been taken from the Morgue to the King's Daughters' Home in San Francisco.

The remains of Deputy Lerri have been removed to the undertaking parlors of J. McManus on Eighth street.

It was at first supposed that the funeral would be general and of a public character, union services being conducted Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the First Congregational Church by clergymen of several religious denominations. But this understanding has been abandoned in so far as the burial of Kock is concerned. Arrangements, however, are still in progress for a union funeral, but the details will not be perfected until sometime this afternoon.

THE INQUEST.

The inquest will be held tonight at the Morgue on Thirteenth street, and will be conducted by Coroner Baldwin. The jury will comprise R. J. Auld, Eugene Warren, M. T. Dusenberry, William Yore, W. W. Camron, N. A. Scheeline, D. C. Brown, F. H. Meison, L. P. Neuwiler, John Sloan.

The witnesses will be Fred Sherrott, Deputy Sheriff Edward White, Perry Wilson, Superintendent Prindle, Secretary Pittman of the fuse works, Constable Stephenson and several friends who will identify the remains of the deceased.

The bereaved relations of the unfortunates have received a number of letters, notes and communications of condolence, among them being the following, which have come to Sheriff White:

LYON POST, GRAND ARMY.

"Headquarters Lyon Post, No. 8, Dept. of Cal. & Nev. G. A. R., Oakland.

"Whereas, In the providence of Almighty God, our beloved comrade C. E. White has been bereaved by the loss of a son in the great calamity which befell our community on July 19, 1898, by the explosion of the fuse works at Melrose; and

"Whereas, The beloved son of our comrade has shown to the community and this Post the best elements of genuine manhood and citizenship in his courage and fidelity to duty; therefore be it

"Resolved, That this Post not only mourns the loss of so brave an officer and good a citizen, but also mourns with his father in his great bereavement, feeling that He who doeth all things well will reward his faithful servants.

"A. W. REIHNORE,
"J. A. COLQUOHOUN,
"C. K. KING,
"Committee.
"R. A. JOHNSON,
"Commander.
"JOHN S. CORRIGAN, Adjutant."

FROM A COMRADE'S SON.

"To my father's comrade and my brother, liberal: Please accept my heartfelt sympathy in your sore affliction. It is a hard fate that deprives one so young of life. But you can say one thing with pride—he died at the post of honor and duty.

"Soldiers die at the front, but the gravest man is he who is willing to die doing his duty as a citizen. He was brave, manly and honest. He did his duty because he believed it was right to do that.

"My heart goes out to you and family, as a son and brother, as the son of an American soldier and as a citizen of Alameda county. Your friend,

"HENRY MARTIN SHIVE."

A. B. Hill of Stockton, who was formerly an employe of Sheriff White, today wired a message of sympathy: "Be assured of our deepest sympathy in your great sorrow. Wire me if I can serve you."

Warden W. E. Hale of San Quentin today dispatched the following telegram to W. S. Harlow, Under Sheriff of Alameda county: "The terrible accident has completely upset me. Please wire particulars and names of dead. Extend Mr. White my heartfelt sympathy."

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PREPARING FOR THE BURIAL OF THE DEAD.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon, in response to summons the public officials of the county assembled in Department No. 3 of the Superior Court to plan fitting ceremonials in connection with the funeral of the officers who met such an untimely death at Melrose yesterday morning.

County Recorder Spear called the meeting to order, and was elected permanent chairman. The business of the meeting was simple but expressive. A committee, consisting of Carlton J. Greene, J. J. Hanlin, and County Treasurer Sanford was appointed to draw up suitable resolutions and a second committee composed of Assessor Henry P. Dalton, Tax Collector J. B. Barber, and Assemblyman Frank Leavitt was appointed to procure a floral piece to be presented by the county officials, as well as to decorate the church wherein will be held the funeral ceremonies.

It was further provided that all the deputies and officials who are free from duty on Friday afternoon shall meet at 1:30 in the Court House to prepare to march en masse to the church.

DESIRE FLAGS SET AT HALF-MAST.

Officials who are planning the ceremonials in connection with the public funeral of the dead deputies have requested that every flag in the city be lowered to half-mast until after the funeral exercises.

CUBANS MUST PROVE FITNESS TO GOVERN.

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time, however, has the administration been disposed to assent to the proposition that insurgents in Cuba had proved ability to assume all the functions of Government that the Spanish are expected to yield.

Should the Cubans, by the mistaken advice of their leaders, assume so hostile an attitude toward the United States as to make it necessary to treat them as enemies the condition will be regretted, but it will not make any difference in the determination that Spain shall no longer govern the island.

Members of the administration regret very deeply the information from Santiago indicating that the Cubans are more intent upon vengeance than they are upon securing tranquility under a government that will deal fairly with all people, whether native or foreign born. They will consider it most unfortunate if the leaders of the Cuban party do not see that the prosperity and peace of the island depends upon acceptance of the plan of the President.

SPANISH CLAIM REBEL DEFEAT.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

MADRID, July 20.—8 P. M.—A dispatch from Havana today says an American warship fired 100 shots at the town of Santa Cruz del Sur, province of Puerto Principe, on July 16th, without doing any damage.

The Spanish force, it is further asserted in the dispatch, has defeated the detachment of insurgents in the province of Santa Clara.

The Spanish Government has received advices to the effect that the Cuban insurgent leader Cepera died recently in Puerto Principe.

GEN. BROOKE'S CHIEF OF SCOUTS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—J. A. Campbell, who was General Sheridan's scout all through the Civil War, has been appointed Captain of Volunteers and will be attached to the staff of General Brooke as chief of scouts. He will accompany the General to Porto Rico. It was of Captain Campbell that General Sheridan wrote this:

"The people of the United States will perhaps never know of his inestimable services to his country."

WARSHIPS GO TO MANILA.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

HONG KONG, July 20.—The German third-class cruiser Cormorant has returned to Manila, and the British first-class gunboat Plover goes there tomorrow. There is no communication to Manila except by warships.

NORTH DAKOTA REPUBLICANS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

FARGO, N. D., July 20.—The Republican State Convention was called to order at noon, and State Senator C. B. Little was chosen Temporary Chairman.

After the appointment of the usual committees a recess was taken until 2 P. M.

The successful ticket indicates the names of the following: Congress, Spaulding, Cass; Governor, Fancher, Stutsman; Lieutenant Governor, Devine, Lamoure; Attorney General, Cowman, Ramsey; Commissioner Insurance, Harrison, Ransom; Supreme Judge, Young, Pembina; Superintendent Instruction, Holland, Trail; Auditor, Carl Blom, Sargent; Secretary of State, Failey, Richland; Railroad Commissioners, Walton of Wells, Simmons of Barnes, and Erickson of Tower.

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CARPENTER MAY HAVE MURDERED HIS POOR WIFE.

While Living in Oakland He Threatened to Kill Her.

The San Francisco police are still looking for the murderer of Mrs. Sadie E. Carpenter. Efforts are being made to find her husband and it is believed he could throw considerable light on the matter.

Carpenter kept a shoemaker's shop on Tenth street, near Franklin, for some time and in December deserted his wife. At that time an extensive account of his actions was published in the Tribune. He had quarreled with his wife over money matters, although the honeymoon was scarcely a fortnight old. He had demanded that she turn over her savings to him, as he was being threatened with a breach of promise suit by a widow named Eveline Melville. Mrs. Carpenter refused to part with her money and Carpenter left her on Christmas eve. It was thought at the time that he had gone to Alaska, but he has been seen since then, and his wife had agreed to live with him again. Carpenter was a tricky, unscrupulous man and was considered to be a "ladies man" by his fellow workmen.

The belief that Carpenter killed his wife is strengthened by the following letter which was written December 3, 1897, when the couple were living at 315 Tenth street.

Mrs. Carpenter refers to her marriage and to the quarrel over money matters and her husband's preference to the other woman who was "pretty as a peach." Extracts from her letter are as follows:

"At noon he came to dinner, but could not eat, and talked of killing himself and me. He said over and over, 'Let's die together.' I said 'no.' Then he returned at 2 o'clock and talked an hour, and said I should not leave him and never should be any other's and talked of killing us both; said he could fix all our troubles, but did not seem mad or excited, but seemed to feel sorry for this woman whom he deceived.

"Now, as God is my witness, I believe he repents his choice since I refused him money. I believe it was for my money he chose me. He said when she cried and talked to him he intended to kill himself and me, too.

"May God who gave me breath take it away, and not an assassin. I have in bank money, all of which I want my two children to have, with my father or mother as guardian, or Mr. Hannon of Monterey as guardian. I want my children to have all my jewelry and goods. I write this after what happened today and I am well and calm, and have no envy for any one."

PATRIOTIC BIDS FOR COTTON BALE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, July 20.—The first bale of new cotton was sold in front of the Exchange at auction at noon. The first bid was $200, and the buyer, President William V. King of the Cotton Exchange, paid $500 for the cotton. The bale had been presented to President McKinley by H. H. Beers of New Orleans, to be sold for the United States Hospital fund. The President in turn forwarded it to the New York Cotton Exchange, to be sold by them to the highest bidder.

A fine new American flag was attached to and sold with the bale.

ARRESTED ON A WARRANT FROM RED BLUFF

F. J. McWorthy is Charged With Obtaining Money Under False Pretenses.

F. J. McWorthy was arrested at 1563 Eleventh avenue by Detective Shorey this afternoon on a warrant issued by the Red Bluff peace officers, charging McWorthy with obtaining money under false pretenses. McWorthy is charged with cashing a draft for $30 on Esterlot of Red Bluff. When the draft was presented, payment was refused. McWorthy claims that the arrest is due to a misunderstanding and to the fact that Esterlot was not in town when the check was received. He had been buying sheep for Esterlot on a contract by which Esterlot paid all of his expenses. The bookkeeper did not know of the agreement, and Esterlot being absent, the check was not honored.

McWorthy was released on bonds furnished by Maxwell.

S. C. HILBORN ON HIS WAY HOME.

Coming From Washington to Look After His Campaign Affairs.

Hon. S. G. Hilborn leaves Washington for Oakland this evening. He comes to confer with his supporters here relative to the coming Congressional campaign. He will reach this city on Monday or Tuesday.

As a result of the sudden return, the meeting of the Congressional Committee will be deferred until a later date, instead of being held Monday next as intended.

LAW CUTS OFF FUNDS FOR CHARITY.

When Mrs. Johanne Hlegel of Alameda died on March 5th, 1896, she left the bulk of her property to charity. But her charitable desires have been frustrated by the cold provisions of law. The estate was valued at about $5,000.

According to Mrs. Hlegel's provisions $200 was left to the Infants' Shelter of San Francisco; one-half of her estate was bequeathed to the German General Benevolent Society of San Francisco, and to the German Old People's Home was left one-half the residue of the estate.

Today when Judge Hall handed down a decree of partial distribution, it was determined that since by Section 1313 of the Civil Code these institutions are charitable, the aggregate amount bequeathed to them cannot exceed one-third of the residue of the estate. This therefore knocks in the head the testator's provisions.

According to the law the three societies will receive respectively but $152.07, $243.05, and $243.

AMERICA'S PEACE TERMS OUTLINED.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, July 20.—A London dispatch to the Journal says:

Sir Henry Drummond-Wolff, British Embassador at Madrid, has been fully informed of the terms upon which the United States Government is ready to make peace.

CARSON AND COLORADO RAILROAD'S PETITION.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SACRAMENTO, July 20.—The Carson & Colorado Railroad Company today petitioned the State Board of Equalization that the valuation of the road operated in this State be reduced from $230,000 to $70,000, on the ground that the business which the railroad was built for has ceased to exist, and that no new business can be developed along the line of the road under existing circumstances.

Agnews to Be Investigated.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SACRAMENTO, July 20.—The State Commission in Lunacy has decided to begin an investigation of the affairs of the Agnews State Hospital in San Francisco next Saturday.

Returned From Tahoe.

W. W. Foote, Judge Henshaw and James Wilkins, prison director, has returned from a very enjoyable outing at Lake Tahoe.

MARRIED.

ARTHUR—HUNT—At the house of the bride's parents, in this city, July 19, 1898, by the Rev. F. J. Mynard, Frank Campbell Arthur and Frankie Marion Hunt.

OFFICIAL RECORDS.

TUESDAY, JULY 19, 1898.

DEEDS.

July 15, 1898—Chas. & Annie E. D. Franck to Hibernia S. & L. Socy, Okd, N 7th 136-8 E Willow st E 25 x N 156 blk 526, $1849.

July 12, 1898—Jno Mallett et al by comr to German S. & L. Socy, Okd, N Taylor st 150 E Wood st E 50 x N 106-5 blk 394, $1776.

July 7, 1883—L. J. & O. A. Rudolph to Dora Gutzman wf Wm. H., Bkly, S Dwight way 40 E Dwinelle st E 40 x S 127, being lot 2 blk 1, Case tct, $1000.

May 23, 1898—Jno R., Celina D., & Charlotte B. Spring to Wm. A. Murison, Bklyn Tp, 1.43 acres beg at a pt in center Adams creek at the junction of a gulch on E side from a tree marked "B T" bears NE .83 ch distant, said pt being on exterior bdry of lds of Spring and S cor lds of Carrington by deed of June 16, 1892, th down center of Adams creek SE .25 ch SW 1.10 chs SW .90 ch SW .58 ch th leaving creek NE 5.15 chs NW 1.30 chs NW .70 ch NE .69 ch NW 1.48 chs to S bdry line Lds of Fisher, th SW 1.30 chs to beg, $10.

May 23, 1898—Jno. R., Celina D. & Charlotte B. Spring to Harriet A. Braun, Bklyn Tp, .97 of an acre beg at a pt in center Adams creek on exterior bdry line lds of J. H. & Charlotte B. Spring from which the most S cor lds of Fisher bears NE 2.88 chs distant, th down middle of Adams Creek SW .95 ch SW 1.10 chs, th leaving Adams creek NE 6.33 chs to center of a road, th NW 1.70 chs SW 5.15 chs to beg, $10.

July 18, 1898—Wm. T. Valentine to Thos. White, Ala, Lots 13 and 14 blk 37, Lds adjct to Encinal, $3000.

May 19, 1892—Mountain View Cem'ty Assn to W. D. Heaton, Okd Tp, Lot 141 in plot 13, Mountain View Cemetery, $66.

July 19, 1898—John F. & M. G. Kessing to Warren D. Heaton, Lot 8 in plot 28, Same, $2700.

July 19, 1898—Wm. H. & Emily J. Stewart to Ambrose N. Haines, Okd Anx, Lot 4 blk 2, Herzog tct, $10.

July 12, 1898—John & Regina Geiser to Anna Schreiber, Bkly, Lots 12 to 15 blk 29, of Smiths sub Mathews tct, $1200.

July 19, 1898—Walter H. Blair to Alameda Land Co., Ala, NE Clinton av and Chestnut st E 100 x N 150 blk N, Lds adjct to Encinal, $3000.

DECREE.

15,300—July 15, 1898—Golden Gate Congregational Church, order granting leave to mtge, N 34th st 82 E Adeline E 40 x N 100, Okd, 5 years not to exceed 9 per cent, $700.

MORTGAGES.

July 15, 1898—S. S. & Mamie A. Austin to Henry Matthews, Bklyn Tp, SW Inez and High st S 70 x W 130, being ptn Inez tct. 1 year 8½ per cent, $1,700.

July 12, 1898—Anna Schreiber to John Geiser, Bkly, Lots 12 to 15 blk 29, Smiths sub ptn Mathews tct, 5 years 8 per cent, $1200.

June 23, 1898—Louisa J. Sheasby wf W. H. to Mary Bowe wf Wm., Bkly, NW San Pablo av and Bancroft way W 100 x N 100 blk 120, tct B, Bkly L. & T. I. Assn, 3 years 8 per cent, $1250.

RELEASES.

July 18, 98—Edward Clark to Jas M and Jennie M Young, Bklyn Tp, 498 m 397, lot 2 Inez tract, $2,200.

July 15, 98—Citizens B & L Assn to F W and Maud Maurice, E Okd, 471 m 88, lot 31 of Frost's 13th av tract, $2,100.

Marginal—Elizabeth A K McNeil to R C Dyer, E Okd, 570 m 155, lot 3 and W 9.33 ft lot 2 blk A, Kennedy tract, $325.

July 18, 98—Maria L Shinmmis to Louisa J Sheasby, Bkly, 455 m 177 lots 14 and 15 blk 120, tract L and T I Assn, $1,250.

BUILDERS' CONTRACTS.

July 19, 98—Malinda Woodward owner with A L Whitney contractor and architect. All work for a 1-story house of 5 rooms and bath on lot 81 Marion tract, Bklyn Tp.

Frame up $339.25; Brown coated, $339.25; Completed, $339.25; Usual 35 days, $339.25. Total, $1,357.

Bonds none. Limit and forfeit none. Plans and Spec filed.

CHATTEL MORTGAGES.

July 15, 98—Obed and Emma M Herr to Lena R Wolf, Furniture etc at No 3,055 Eagle av Ala, 1 mo, 5 per cent per mo. $250.

NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF BUILDING.

July 19, 98—Phoebe A Hearst owner by agent to Chas and Walter Williams contractors, beg at a pt on SW line Co road No 1,927 distant 50 SE from SE ln lds of F Silva th NW to SE ln lds of Silva th SW 50 SE 50 NE 50 to beg, ptn plot 49 Ro El Valle de San Jose, Mission Tp. Completed July 15, 98.

FRATERNIZING OF THE VICTORS AND VANQUISHED

Our Troops in Santiago on the Best of Terms With the Spanish Soldiers There.

SANTIAGO DE CUBA, July 19, 6 P. M., (via Kingston, Jamaica, July 20, 10 A. M.)—Hundreds of American and Spanish soldiers, who but a few days ago were shooting at each other, crowd the streets of Santiago today, meeting and mixing in the most friendly terms. A general feeling of good fellowship is evinced everywhere, victors and vanquished apparently being equally rejoiced that the strife and bloodshed are over and that the horrors of the siege are ended.

Quaint stores with displays of wares are re-opening rapidly, and the storekeepers eagerly accept American money and courteously receive American custom.

The narrow, cobbled streets, grilling in the fierce sunshine, are crowded from morning to night by chattering groups of uniformed Spanish soldiers and crowds of laughing, rollicking men belonging to General Shafter's army.

Great barge loads of provisions and supplies have been going to the wharves all day from the Red Cross steamer State of Texas and the United States army supply ships, and there is evidence that privation is rapidly disappearing.

Along the water front, under every awning, dozens of women and children may be seen munching hardtack, and food is being distributed very rapidly about the plaza facing the palace and in the numerous airy cafes, where the officers of the opposing armies lounge throughout the day.

AN ERA OF GOOD FEELING.

The Americans are buying medals and buttons from their late foes, and all talk merrily when an interpreter can be obtained.

About 4,000 Spanish troops still remain in the city, but the majority of them will be removed so soon as a camping ground beyond the rifle pits can be arranged.

The American troops are being removed from their old encampments behind the trenches to cooler and better spots in the hills north of the town.

Our officers here appear to be ignorant as to the disposition of the Fifth Corps, but the general impression is that but few of the troops now here will be taken to Porto Rico.

NO FEVER IN THE CITY.

The harbor is crowded with transports, but, as announced from General McKibbin's headquarters, no orders for embarking the troops have been received, and it is not believed any of them will be immediately taken away. The officers say there is no reason for this, as the health of the city is remarkably good. They assert that there is not a case of yellow fever in Santiago, and that there are but few cases of smallpox.

The streets look fairly clean, and the city shows signs of the care taken by the Spaniards to prevent an epidemic during the siege.

General Shafter has placed a censor in charge of the cable office, and only Government dispatches are allowed to be sent to-day. It is said, however, that press and commercial dispatches will be received, subject to the censor's blue pencil, soon—probably to-morrow.

Spanish merchants who have been interviewed on the subject say they expect business to revive at once, and hope to have large investments of American capital within the next year.

YELLOW JACK UNDER CONTROL.

There seems to be no race hatred, the bitterness being all directed against the Madrid Government, which is charged with gross mismanagement of Cuba and bungling during the conduct of the present war.

The hospital headquarters are still located at Juragua. Two deaths from yellow fever were reported there, but the names of the victims have not been made public. The physicians say there are but few new cases appearing, and that the epidemic is under control. They also think that the danger to the army is about passed. General Miles is at Guantanamo on the Yale, and is said to be arranging the details of the Porto Rican expedition. It is reported here that a large army will sail from the United States this week, and that General Miles with a majority of General Henry's troops, which are not yet embarked, will go direct to the vicinity of San Juan within a short time.

Most of the ships of Rear Admiral Sampson's fleet are also lying in Guantanamo bay.

The New York and Brooklyn have spent the day almost under the shadow of Morro Castle, lying as close in shore as possible. Commoder Schley, with a party of officers, visited the city this morning, coming up the bay in a steam launch. The Commodore called on General McKibbin and strolled about the streets, making several purchases and apparently enjoying shore leave. He was received with great respect by the Spanish officers who learned his name.

LIEUTENANT MILEY'S MISSION.

Lieutenant Miley of General Shafter's army staff, left here this morning with a troop of cavalry, mounted, under Captain Brett, to make the rounds of the entire military district of Santiago de Cuba, and for the purpose of receiving the formal surrender of the Spanish forces. He goes first to San Luis, where there are about 4,500 of the enemy's troops. Lieutenant Miley will then receive the surrender, in order, of 800 men at Cobre, 1,200 at Catalina, 2,500 at Guantanamo and 2,500 at Baracoa. A total of 20,000 Spaniards are expected to yield their arms to this one troop of cavalry. After reaching Baracoa Lieutenant Miley will be compelled to ride straight across the country to the coast, accompanied by a Cuban guide. He will proceed under a white flag for protection, but General Toral has sent members of his staff ahead to notify the Spaniards of the terms of the surrender.

The wound of General Lizares is much more serious than reported. His left arm has been amputated, and tonight he is in a serious condition.

TWO TRANSPORTS REACH MILES.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—General Miles telegraphed the War Department this afternoon, announcing the arrival there from Tampa of the transports Lampasas and Neuces last night with about 600 men on board. These are supposed to include the District of Columbia engineers and an artillery battery. General Miles states that he now has ten transports with him, and it is presumed they are laden with troops. He complains that the men are very tired waiting for their naval convoy, and says some of the horses have died from the effects of being taken aboard ship and kept there.

PANIC OVER WATSON'S RAID.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

GIBRALTAR, July 20.—Three Spanish trans-Atlantic steamers have arrived here from Cadiz, fearing that the squadron of Commodore Watson will attack that place and destroy all the shipping in port.

BLOODY RIOTS IN PORTO RICO.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, July 20.—A special dispatch to the Journal from St. Thomas, D. W. I., reports that a serious riot occurred at Mayaguez, Porto Rico, on Sunday, resulting in the killing of nine persons and the wounding of many others. Spanish residents of the place attacked natives, whom they accused of being American sympathizers and intending to aid the invading army from the United States.

More Klondike Gold.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SEATTLE, Wash., July 20.—The steamer Lakme arrived today from St. Michaels with 100 passengers and gold dust estimated at $250,000, in addition to drafts representing a large amount.

A Prominent Merchant.

Geo. W. Rinehart, the manager of the Great Western Tea Company at 1063 Washington street, has a thorough knowledge of the business gained by practical experience as a salesman in stores and on the road. His push, tact and integrity have made the Great Western Tea Company the most popular store in Oakland. The quality and good value of their teas and coffees are worthy the attention of customers, and Mr. Rinehart will be found to be a gentlemanly, conscientious and courteous merchant by those who patronize him.

James E. Pepper, a celebrated whisky, on sale by E. F. Thayer, 464 Eighth street.

The Oakland Grotto

Is a quiet place for gentlemen; finest liquors and cigars; club room; opening on July 30, 1898. Collier & Company, proprietor. Northeast corner of Eighth and Broadway.

The Anheuser-Busch Saloon

Is a resort for gentlemen. There are sandwiches, frankfurters and any sort of lunch to order, with a surety of nice association. Bandle & Sonderleiter, props. Ninth st. near Washington.

DIED

STREITBERGER—In this city, July 18, 1898, Christopher Streitberger, a native of Baden, Germany, aged 78 years, 3 months and 26 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral FRIDAY, at 2 o'clock P. M., from the parlors of Henry Evers, 865 Washington street. Interment, Mountain View Cemetery.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

FORESTERS OF AMERICA.—Officers and members of Court U. S. of A., No. 38, F. of A.: You are hereby notified to attend the funeral of our late deceased brother, J. J. Lerri, THURSDAY, at 2 P. M., from the parlors of Charles McCarthy, undertaker. By order of

A. NIELSON, C. R.
R. ROSENBERG, Rec. Sec.

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"Modern" furniture bought, exchanged or sold on installment payments. We give "green trading stamps." 462-464 Thirteenth street.

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Fifteenth year opens August 1, 1898.
Pupils of both sexes. Kindergarten, Primary, Grammar and High School grades.
Accredited by the University of California.
See or address SARAH W. HORTON, Principle 964 Eighteenth Street.

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FOR BOYS
Will Open Monday, July 25th.
Individual Work. Number Limited
Terms Reasonable.
Boys prepared for High School and for business. For particulars inquire of
J. C. GILSON,
At the Hall, cor. 13th and Jefferson Sts.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION.

FOR RENT—Large, sunny furnished room in private family. Apply at 952 West st., two blocks from Market st. station. No children.

A GERMAN GIRL wants a place for general housework and cooking; wages $20. 826 Lydia near West, bet. Twenty-first and Twenty-second sts.

LOST—Black purse containing small gold and silver, on Thirteenth st. bet. Jackson and Harrison. Return to S. W. cor. of Jackson and Thirteenth and receive reward.

WANTED—Girl for general housework in Golden Gate; wages $15. Call at No. 1054 First ave.

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One cent per word for 1 insertion.
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BUSINESS PERSONALS

TRUNKS MOVED, 25c each. 424 Tenth st.

CASTRO'S TAMALES are first class; furnished banquets and lodges. 517 San Pablo ave.

FURNITURE WANTED—We will give you more cash for your furniture and household goods than you can get anywhere. J. A. Munro & Co., 1517-19 Park st., Alameda, general auctioneers, Tel. red-422.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT.

THE BEST furnished and cheapest rooms in town; scrupulously clean; baths; elevator. Brunswick Hotel.

ONE FURNISHED and one unfurnished room in the new, sunny building at 409 Thirteenth, cor. Franklin st.

PLEASANT FRONT ROOM with dressing room; good board; first class location; for one or two persons; special rates for two persons. 1356 Harrison st.

TWO NICE front rooms for light housekeeping; from $10 up. Brunswick Hotel.

FURNISHED ROOMS—One or more for housekeeping. 1119 Jefferson, opposite Metropole.

ROOMS AND OFFICES—Bath; no transients. 1065 Washington st.

ONE NICE large front suite; suitable for two gentlemen; very reasonable. Brunswick Hotel.

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for housekeeping; rent $5; one large parlor suitable for a bedroom, rent $4. 718 Filbert st.

TO LET—Neatly furnished rooms at $1, $1.25 and $1.50 a week. Apply 409 9th st.

HANDSOME furnished rooms for offices; also rooms for housekeeping, with gas stoves. 1010½ Washington st. No children.

TWO large corner rooms; light housekeeping permitted. 658 Eighth st., cor. Grove.

HOUSES FOR RENT.

$11 PER MONTH—Cosy five roomed cottage on Thirteenth ave., convenient to Brooklyn station. Apply to Hugh M. Cameron, Real Estate Broker.

Cottages cheaper than single room rent; two, three, four and five room modern cottages, large yards, with or without stables, only ten minutes' ride out Telegraph ave. or Grove st. electric car lines; rent $5.50, $7.50, $8, $9 and $10, city water included. Apply to
R. J. MONTGOMERY,
2112 Broadway, - - Oakland.

ELMHURST—Seven room house on electric car line near Jones ave.; well and city water; stable; fruit; shade trees and flower garden; cement and gravel road and walks. Inquire of Mrs. E. J. Haney, Elmhurst.

ROOMS AND BOARD WANTED

WIDOW LADY would like two or more children to board in a good home; terms reasonable. Address 718 Eighth st., Oakland.

LADY AND GENTLEMAN desire two rooms with board in private family; location within one mile of narrow gauge depot. Address H. C., 724 Turk st., S. F.

HOUSES WANTED.

TWO ADULTS would rent a neatly furnished house or flat within one mile of narrow gauge depot, until January 1, 1899. Address H. C., 724 Turk st., San Francisco.

FLATS TO RENT.

FOR RENT, FURNISHED—Upper floor; three rooms; bath; no children; rent reasonable. 886 Castro st.

SUNNY FLAT for rent; part of furniture for sale; reasonable. 948 Myrtle.

HALLS TO LET.

GRAND ARMY HALL to let. Apply to C. Jurgens, 1116 Broadway.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—At a bargain; a four room modern cottage with lot 27½x118 ft.; on Twenty-third ave.; near two electric car lines; good location; street work all done; price $1,200; mortgage of $780 may be assumed. Albert Schmidt, 1122 Thirteenth ave., East Oakland

OFFICE TO RENT.

SUNNY OFFICES and rooms to let, with or without board; reasonable rates. 1118 Broadway.

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SPANISH LESSONS by native and experienced teacher. 1119 Jefferson, cor. Thirteenth.

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DRESSMAKERS.

DRESSMAKING and millinery parlors, 516 Eleventh st., rooms 1 and 2; stylish suits, $5; country orders solicited.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES.

AN EXCELLENT opportunity to purchase an established cycle business, including the agency for a high grade wheel, bicycle material, full rental line, and repair stock, tools, etc.; in the city of Oakland; prominent location. Address A. P., box 8, this office.

FOR SALE—Half interest in undertaking and furniture business, on account of going East. Apply Robert Bleakley, 2122 Center, Berkeley.

FOR SALE CHEAP—First class Columbus buggy, nearly new. No. 10 Portland ave., East Oakland, junction Fourth and Fifth aves.

FOR EXCHANGE.

EXCHANGE—A first class surrey, good as new, for a first class phaeton buggy Address C. W., box 2

SITUATIONS WANTED FEMALE.

HOLLAND'S Employment Office—Registration free. Mrs. T. J. Holland, 512 Fifteenth st., Oakland. Help of every kind and nationality. Tel. 578 black-6 bells.

RELIABLE male and female help for all kinds of work, of all nationalities, furnished promptly by leaving orders with J. P. Johnston & Co., 872 Broadway, Okd.

SEAMSTRESS, fine sewer, $1 a day. 1312 Grove st.

A COMPETENT WOMAN wishes a position to work by day, and to do washing and ironing and house cleaning. Address 956 Third st.

MRS. CATTELL'S Reliable Employment Bureau; established many years; 523 Eighth st.; only referenced help sent out; German, Scandinavian and all nationalities on hand; male and female; telephone 2291 black.

PRIVATE Employment Office—Mrs. L. C. Marvin, removed to 1159 Washington st.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—A German and Swedish girl, also girls of all nationalities, at Mrs. W. M. Sanford's Fidelity Employment Office, 847 Broadway.

WANTED—A young girl, foreigner preferred, to assist with cooking and housework. Call 1125 Adeline st., Wednesday and Thursday, at meal hours.

WANTED—A first class cook, wages $30; a girl for general housework, wages $25; a competent nurse for infants, woman preferred, wages $25. Call at Marvin's Hair Store, 1159 Washington st.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

WANTED—A position as electric apprentice; wages no object. Address W. W. B., box 8, this office.

WANTED—Situation as gardener or coachman, by strictly sober man; handy with tools; good references given. Address Gardener, box 1, this office.

AGENTS WANTED

WAR BOOM—There never was a better time to make money from conservative investments in wheat, stocks and cotton than now; only small capital required; open correspondence with us; we will not flood you with worthless literature, but tell you how to succeed in the speculative markets. SPECIAL ADVICE sent free to correspondents. Our special advice last week made money for all who acted upon it. "THE G. W. WYLIE CO.," 11 Wall st., New York.

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MARTIN & ROBINSON—Attorneys-at-Law, rooms 15 and 16, 921 Broadway.

BREARTY & WHITE, Attorneys-at-Law, 1004 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

BROOKS & HARGIS, Attorneys-at-Law, Parrott bldg., San Francisco. Telephone Jessie 601.

A. L. & P. C. BLACK—Attorneys-at-Law, Room No. 6, 957 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.; with John Yule.

PHIL M. WALSH, Attorney-at-Law, City Justices' Court building, S. E. corner Broadway and Eighth sts.

GEORGE W. LANGAN, Attorney and Counselor-at-Law, Livermore, Cal.; practices in all courts.

BEN F. WOOLNER, Attorney and Counselor-at-Law and Notary Public, 1003½ Broadway, rooms 7 and 8.

CLINTON G. DODGE, rooms 15 and 16, 906 Broadway.

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GEORGE E. DE GOLIA, 967 Broadway, northeast corner of Ninth st., Oakland, room 2, telephone No. 83.

JOHNSON & SHAW, Law Office, 908 Broadway, rooms 2, 3 and 5.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN, Attorney-at-Law, has removed to 905 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys-at-Law, room 8, District Attorney's office, Court House.

NYE & KINSELL, Attorneys-at-Law, 881 Broadway.

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CLAIRVOYANTS

JUST ARRIVED—Madame Simmons of New York, acknowledged by press and public the greatest clairvoyant and magnetic healer in the United States; past, present and future revealed; great on love and business; all who are in trouble should consult with me and I will show you a way out of your difficulty; so don't fail to see me. 806 Washington st., Denver House, rooms 1 and 2.

MRS. WEST, Trance Medium, consults on all business affairs; spiritual magnetic healer; card readings, 25c; short time only. 462 Ninth st., Henry House, room 9.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—July 7th, in Wildcat canyon, a black mare branded with the letter "C" on front leg. Finder please return to 54 Second st., Oakland.

LOST—English setter dog, pup, about 5 months old; black ears and white body. Return to P. W. Magill, No. 706 Thirteenth st. Reward.

REAL ESTATE.

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CHOICE PROPERTIES AT HALF THEIR VALUE.

$4,000—A home in Fruitvale, 1½ acres of land highly cultivated. Choice flowers, shrubs and fruit trees. House of nine rooms and modern improvements. Convenient to electric cars and local trains. First class surroundings. Delightful climate. $1,000 cash. WILLIAM J. DINGEE, 901 Broadway, corner Eighth st.

$5,000—Beautiful residence on Hobart st.; modern nine room house; large lot; fine grounds; in perfect condition. A great bargain. Will take one-half in other property. No incumbrance. Owner a non-resident and does not wish the care of large property. WILLIAM J. DINGEE, 901 Broadway, corner Eighth st.

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BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Proceedings of Adjourned Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Friday, July 15, 1898.

Board met at 10 A. M.
Roll called. All members present.
Reading of minutes dispensed with.
ADJOURNMENT.
Adjourned to meet Monday, 10 o'clock A. M.
J. R. TALCOTT, Chairman.
Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

(Official.)

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Proceedings of Adjourned Regular Meeting of the Board of Supervisors, Saturday, July 16, 1898.

Board of Supervisors met at 10 A. M.
Roll called. All present.
Minutes of last meeting not read, but dispensed with until next meeting.
RECESS.
Taken until 2 o'clock.
AFTERNOON SESSION.
Board met at 2 P. M. All present on roll call.
WEBSTER STREET BRIDGE.
Communication received from Alameda City Trustees relative to keeping open line of traffic.
Read and ordered filed.
Supervisor Roeth reported progress in the matter referred to him as Chairman Road and Bridge Committee.
REQUISITIONS.
From H. P. Dalton, Assessor, for maps of Oakland, Berkeley and vicinity. Granted by unanimous vote.
ADJOURNMENT.
Board adjourned till 10 A. M. Saturday.
J. R. TALCOTT, Chairman.
Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

(Official.)

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

Proceedings of Adjourned Regular Meeting Held Friday, July 15, 1898

The Board of Equalization met at 10 A. M.
Roll called. All members present.
Minutes of meeting of July 14th read and approved.
APPLICATIONS.
Were received as follows:
No. 18—James F. Damon.
No. 19—M. A. Hardy.
No. 20—John H. Stevens.
No. 21—John H. Stevens.
No. 22—Jas. M. McGilvney.
No. 23—H. L. Dietz.
No. 24—Mrs. L. H. C. Burnap.
No. 25—Mrs. L. H. C. Burnap.
No. 26—C. P. R. R. Co.
CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATIONS.
(Supervisor Mitchell in chair.)
No. 19—M. A. Hardy.
R. C. Ports sworn. Notice waived. Testimony taken.
Supervisor Church moved that application be granted. Seconded by Supervisor Talcott.
The roll was called and motion carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.
Not Voting—Supervisor Roeth—1.
No. 22—James McGilvney.
Applicant sworn. Notice waived. Testimony considered.
Supervisor Roeth moved that application be denied. Seconded by Supervisor Talcott.
Motion carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.
Noes—Supervisor Church—1.
No. 23—H. L. Dietz.
Applicant sworn. Notice waived. Testimony taken.
Assessor recommended favorable action.
Supervisor Roeth moved that application be granted. Seconded by Supervisor Wells.
Motion carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.
Noes—None.
No. 24—Mrs. L. H. C. Burnap.
Applicant sworn. Notice waived. Testimony considered.
Supervisor Roeth moved that application be denied. Seconded by Supervisor Wells, and carried by following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.
Noes—None.
No. 25—Mrs. L. H. C. Burnap.
Applicant sworn. Notice waived. Testimony considered.
Supervisor Roeth moved that application be denied. Seconded by Supervisor Talcott.
Roll called on amendment and same lost by following vote:
Ayes—Supervisors Church and Chairman Talcott—2.
Noes—Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth and Wells—3.
Noes—Supervisor Church and Chairman Talcott—2.
No. 30—Northern Railway Co.
Notice waived.
Supervisor Roeth moved that application be denied. Seconded by Supervisor Wells.
Supervisor Church moved that application be granted. Seconded by Supervisor Talcott.
The roll was called and the motion to amend lost by the following vote:
Ayes—Supervisor Church and Chairman Talcott—2.
Noes—Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth and Wells—3.
The original motion to deny was then carried by the following vote:
Ayes—Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth and Wells—3.
Noes—Supervisor Church and Chairman Talcott—2.
No. 37—C. P. R. R. Co.
Applicant waived notice.
Supervisor Church moved that application be granted. Seconded by Supervisor Talcott.
Supervisor Roeth moved that application be denied. Seconded by Supervisor Wells.
The amendment was carried by the following vote:
Ayes—Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth and Wells—3.
Noes—Supervisor Church and Chairman Talcott—2.
The original motion as amended was then carried by the following vote:
Ayes—Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth and Wells—3.
Noes—Supervisor Church and Chairman Talcott—2.
No. 38. Applicant waives notice.
Supervisor Roeth moved that the application be denied. Seconded by Supervisor Wells.
Supervisor Church moved that application be granted. Seconded by Supervisor Talcott.
Roll called on amendment and same lost by following vote:
Ayes—Supervisor Church and Chairman Talcott—2.
Noes—Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth and Wells—3.
The original motion was then carried by the following vote:
Ayes—Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth and Wells—3.
Noes—Supervisor Church and Chairman Talcott—2.
ADJOURNMENT.
The Board then adjourned to meet at ten o'clock A. M., July 16th, 1898.
J. R. TALCOTT, Chairman.
Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

(Official.)

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

Proceedings of Adjourned Regular Meeting, Held Saturday, July 16, 1898

The Board of Equalization met at 10 A. M.
Roll called. All present.
Reading of minutes of last meeting dispensed with.
APPLICATIONS.
No. 27—Oakland, Haywards and San Leandro El. Ry.
No. 40—Mary Callan.
No. 39—Oak and Gas, Light and Heat Co.
No. 30—Ann McDougall.
CONSIDERATION OF APPLICATIONS
No. 27—Oakland, Haywards and San Leandro El. Ry. Co.
A. L. Stone sworn. Testimony heard. On behalf of applicant and as secretary of said corporation he waived any question of legality of any assessment on any property assessed and described in the application of company filed herein.
The several items of assessment were considered separately as follows:
BROOKLYN TOWNSHIP NO. 1. ITEM NO. 1.
Franchise assessed at $20,000.
Supervisor Roeth moved that it be reduced to $15,000. Seconded by Supervisor Church.
Motion carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.
Noes—None.
BROOKLYN TOWNSHIP NO. 3. ITEM NO. 2a.
Cars assessed at $36,500.
Supervisor Church moved that item be reduced to $33,500. Seconded by Supervisor Talcott.
Carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Talcott—4.
Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.
BROOKLYN TOWNSHIP NO. 3. ITEM NO. 2b.
Item, machinery $17,500.
Supervisor Church moved that the assessment be reduced to $15,000. Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell.
The roll was called and the motion carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.
Noes—None.
BROOKLYN TOWNSHIP NO. 3. ITEM NO. 3.
Franchise assessed at $2,500.
Supervisor Church moved that the assessment be reduced to $500. Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell.
The roll was called and the motion carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.
Noes—None.
BROOKLYN TOWNSHIP NO. 4. ITEM NO. 4.
Franchise assessed at $500.
Supervisor Church moved that the assessment be reduced to $250. Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell.
The motion was carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.
Noes—None.
EDEN TOWNSHIP NO. 5. ITEM NO. 5.
Franchise assessed at $20,000.
Supervisor Church moved that the assessment be reduced to $10,000. Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.
Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.
EDEN TOWNSHIP NO. 6. ITEM NO. 6.
Franchise assessed at $5,000.
Supervisor Church moved that assessment be reduced to $2,000. Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.
Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.
EDEN TOWNSHIP. ITEM NO. 7.
Franchise assessed at $1,000.
Supervisor Church moved that it be reduced to $100. Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.
Noes—None.
SAN LEANDRO. ITEM NO. 8.
Line assessed at $6,000.
Supervisor Church moved that assessment be reduced to $4,500. Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.
Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.
SAN LEANDRO. ITEM NO. 9.
Franchise assessed at $5,000.
Supervisor Church moved that it be reduced to $2,500.
Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell, and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4
Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.
HAYWARDS. ITEM NO. 10a.
Horse car line assessed at $4,000.
Supervisor Church moved that assessment be reduced to $2,000.
Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell, and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.
Noes—None.
HAYWARDS. ITEM NO. 10b.
Horse assessed at $100.
Supervisor Church moved that application be granted and horse reduced to $1.
Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell, and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.
Noes—None.
HAYWARDS. ITEM NO. 11.
Franchise assessed at $6,000.
Supervisor Church moved that assessment be reduced to $3,000.
Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell. Motion carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.
Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.
OAKLAND TOWNSHIP. ITEM NO. 12.
Line assessed at $1,500.
Supervisor Church moved that it be reduced to $800.
Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell, and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.
Noes—None.
OAKLAND TOWNSHIP. NO. 13.
Franchise assessed at $2,500.
Supervisor Roeth moved that application be denied.
Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell, and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4.
Noes—Supervisor Church—1.
OAKLAND TOWNSHIP. NO. 13.
Franchise assessed at $5,000.
Supervisor Mitchell moved that the application be granted and franchise reduced to $1,000.
Seconded by Supervisor Church. Roll called and motion carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4
Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.
OAKLAND TOWNSHIP. NO. 14.
Franchise assessed at $5,000.
Supervisor Church moved that assessment be reduced to $1,000.
Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.
Noes—None.
OAKLAND TOWNSHIP. ITEM NO. 15.
Franchise assessed at $15,000.
Supervisor Church moved that assessment be reduced to $10,000.
Seconded by Mitchell, and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell and Chairman Talcott—3.
Noes — Supervisors Roeth and Wells—2.
OAKLAND TOWNSHIP. ITEM NO. 16.
Franchise assessed at $5,000.
Supervisor Church moved that assessment be reduced to $2,500.
Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Chairman Talcott—4
Noes—Supervisor Roeth—1.
OAKLAND TOWNSHIP. NO. 14.
Franchise assessed at $2,500.
Supervisor Church moved that assessment be reduced to $500.
Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell and Chairman Talcott—3.
Noes — Supervisors Roeth and Wells—2.
Improvements assessed at $88,950. Application asks for reduction to $26,500.
Supervisor Roeth moved that application be denied.
Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell. Motion carried by the following vote:
Ayes—Supervisors Mitchell, Roeth and Wells—3.
Noes—Supervisors Church and Talcott—2.
No. 29—Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Co.
Applicant sworn. Notice waived. Testimony taken.
Supervisor Church moved that application be granted.
Seconded by Supervisor Mitchell and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.
Noes—None.
ADJOURNMENT.
The Board then adjourned to meet Monday, 9 A. M., July 18th, 1898.
J. R. TALCOTT, Chairman.
Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

(Official.)

BOARD OF EQUALIZATION.

Proceedings of Adjourned Regular Meeting, Held Monday, July 18, 1898

Board of Equalization met at 9 A. M.
Roll called. All present.
Minutes of July 15th and 16th read and approved.
RECESS.
Recess declared until 2 o'clock.
AFTERNOON SESSION.
The Board met at 2 P. M. All present.
No. 41—Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Co.
John A. Britton sworn. Applicant waives notice. Testimony considered.
Supervisor Roeth then moved that item in application "franchise $25,000" be reduced to $10,000, and item "franchise $75,000" be reduced to $65,000.
Seconded by Supervisor Church, and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Wells and Roeth—4.
Noes—Supervisor Talcott—1.
Nos. 3 and 4—Wm. Stewart.
Supervisor Church moved that application be denied, owing to failure of applicant to appear.
Seconded, and carried by unanimous vote.
No. 4—Mary Callan.
Supervisor Church moved that application be denied owing to failure of applicant to appear.
Seconded, and carried by unanimous vote.
No. 8—Oakland Con. St. R. R. Co. property.
Application Thos. M. Robinson on behalf Assessor Dalton to place property on assessment roll.
Supervisor Talcott moved that application of Assessor be granted.
Seconded by Supervisor Church, and carried by the following vote:
Ayes — Supervisors Church, Mitchell, Roeth, Wells and Chairman Talcott—5.
Noes—None.
Supervisor Roeth moved that the Board of Equalization adjourn. Seconded, and carried by unanimous vote.
J. R. TALCOTT, Chairman.
Attest: Frank C. Jordan, Clerk.

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Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Eli S. Denison, deceased, and for the issuance to Celia M. Denison of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 1st day of August, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, July 20, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. CAL EWING, Deputy Clerk.

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Weather Forecast.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—Weather forecast: Generally fair tonight and Thursday; fresh west wind.

WEDNESDAY.....JULY 20, 1898.

Now that the battle statistics are being made up it is shown that the Oregon alone fired 1,776 shells into Cervera's fleet at Santiago. That was a shell game that certainly kept them guessing.

Thieves are said to have stolen the stone stairway in front of a Chicago residence. The owner shouldn't complain, though, but should rather be happy over the fact that the callers left the house. In Chicago, when thieves go after anything they generally get it all.

Two hundred thousand dollars in prize money is to be distributed among Sampson's squadron as a result of the sinking of Cervera's ships. This averages $100 "head money" for every man on board the enemy's fleet, and although it is a big price to pay for Spaniards, still we must have them.

Admiral Camara with the third and last instalment of the Spanish navy is safely home again, after a trip that simply meant a present to the Suez Canal Company of about $200,000 in dues, to say nothing of the time lost, the coal bought and consumed, and the many other expenses of the expedition. No wonder Spain is bankrupt when she has such misfit financiers at her helm.

It is said that one of the first measures to be presented to Congress at its next session will be to provide the laying of a cable between San Francisco and Honolulu, unless private enterprise has undertaken the task by that time. As a military measure, the President has the right to order its immediate construction, but it is not considered likely that he will handle the proposition in that way.

The war is said to be costing Spain $1,000,000 a day with occasionally a $10,000,000 day thrown in, as, for instance, on the occasions when Montijo's and Cervera's fleets were destroyed. As a war revenue bill over there is an impossibility owing to the fact that everything is already taxed for more than it can stand, it is certain that the end of the Dons' financial tether has nearly been reached.

It will be noticed what a wide variance there is in the reports as to the gold production on the Klondike. The figures given by returning miners place the clean-up at about $3,000,000, while the agents of the transportation companies figure the total at $10,000,000. It is, of course, easy to see why these latter statistics are so high, for the more money that is said to be around there, the more people will want to go after it. Anyhow, there is a big drop from the $50,000,000 output that was so faithfully promised a couple of months ago.

ENTERPRISE APPRECIATED.

The Tribune yesterday once more furnished to the citizens of Oakland indisputable proof of the fact that it is the live paper of the community. Its extra containing the news of the fearful tragedy at the fuse works at which half a dozen brave officers lost their lives was the first publication that gave the details of the sad affair and that it was appreciated was shown by the fact that thousands of copies were eagerly bought up as soon as they were placed on the streets.

The later editions of the Tribune contained the fullest and best accounts of the awful disaster and the ready market that they found showed that the public thoroughly realized and appreciated the enterprise displayed. The fact that the evening newspapers of San Francisco copied verbatim ad literatim the interviews and information printed by the Tribune was further evidence of the acknowledged reliability and completeness of the news, and taken altogether, the story was handled in a way that stamps it as one of the journalistic successes of Alameda county.

Though there is an old journalistic saying that "he who bloweth not his own bazoo, the same shall not be blown," the Tribune is not disposed to hand bouquets to itself or to crown its own head with laurels. In justice, however, to those on its staff who made the extra editions a success it cannot let the present opportunity pass by without calling attention to the facts of the case, for there never was an occasion here when the truth was better indicated of that household saying that "The Tribune prints the best news and prints it first."

THE CUBANS NEED A LESSON.

The Cubans have proved to be just what was expected by the average American citizen who had reasonably weighed the various features of the present war. They are nothing more nor less than guerrillas, and they fight on the barbaric basis of seeking loot and pillage in every step they make into the enemy's country.

Their conduct in connection with the surrender of Santiago was, to say the least, reprehensible. They not only did not participate in the actual brunt of conflict, but they were so timorous that they allowed Pando's reinforcements to cow them into quietness while meantime they entered the beleaguered city. On top of all this comes the news of the strained relations between the Cuban and American camps, caused primarily because General Shafter refused to permit the rebels to sack the city of its stores of costly trinkets and valuables.

Though there is not likely to be the collision between the Cuban and American forces that is predicted, at the same time it is very evident that the rebels must be toned down a bit, and made to realize that Uncle Sam holds the whip hand over them and intends to keep it. The recent dispatches announcing the gloom that prevails in the Cuban camp because General Shafter refuses to allow the insurgents to sack Santiago shows that the native troops are but little removed from mere bandits, and that it would be a curse to the island to enable them to assume full control of affairs. The United States is fairly entitled to the balance of power in that connection, and for the best interests of the commerce of the islands it is to be hoped that she will retain it.

The editor of the Salt Lake Tribune would doubtless like to have expunged from the record a paragraph he wrote a little over a week ago referring to General Shafter in this way: "A man 60 years of age, weighing 310 pounds, and crippled in his legs is not fit to lead an army on an aggressive campaign where the physical and topographical difficulties to be overcome are very great." Two or three days after this was written Shafter had accomplished the surrender of Santiago, and was being lauded the country over for the splendid way he had handled the campaign. It will be remembered, by the way, that when Dewey was placed in command of the fleet at Manila there were sneers at his appointment on the ground that he was a dude. The people who are the real fighters appear to be generally mistaken.

The Democrats are said to be preparing a new scheme as regards the coming campaign and instead of waiting for the Republican convention to be held so that they could see who they had to offset for the various offices, they will now force the fighting and will compel the G. O. P. to practically endorse their platform which will be modeled in the main on a war basis. It is all very well for the leaders to talk that way now, though, for it will be impossible to keep the free silver plank out of their platform this time, and that alone is going to beat them. As for attempting to steal the Republican war thunder, that sort of thing won't work for the people know well enough that the glories of the present conflict are due to a Republican administration.

The war is furnishing many romantic pages of history not the least picturesque of which is the detailed story of the raising of the American flag over Santiago. The word painters have brought in some very pretty effects with their descriptions of how the Spanish and American generals attended by their staffs marched on to the main plaza where amidst a concourse of thousands of citizens they were met by the Prelate of Santiago attended in all the splendors of his archiepiscopal robes and then how Old Glory was hoisted and flung to the breeze while meantime the church bells clanged and the bands burst forth in pocans of mantel music. It must have been an inspiring event and one that made every American present proud of his flag and country.

The American forces in Santiago are now engaged in a new crusade and one that is proving harder to overcome than the might of the Spanish arms. It is the stamping out of the conditions that breed that deadly enemy of the white race, the yellow fever, and in order to do so they are striving to put the sanitary arrangements of the town on a proper basis. The Spanish are as equally noted for their filth as they are for their splendor and this is especially true of Santiago, for although its cathedral and some of its public buildings are as fine as any structures in the New World at the same time the squalor and filth of the quarters where the poor are housed are so repulsive that it is no wonder the place is such a breeding spot for disease.

Another indication of that silly sentimentality that always asserts itself whenever any public matter comes up is given in the proposition to present Admiral Cervera with a home at Tampa Bay so as "to save him from insult and possible death should he return to Spain." In the first place it is ridiculous to suppose that he would accept it and then again the reason given for what he has done that would subject him to insult or death on his return to Spain is hard to find. He was simply obeying orders when he took his fleet into the open and the responsibility for the disastrous result rests altogether on Blanco's shoulders.

The country will have plenty of war relics when the soldiers and sailors come back from Cuba, for their selections of souvenirs in some instances look almost like cases of loot. When the Spanish ships were boarded it is said that the Jack Tars carried away medical outfits, silver cases, swords, fancy boxes, linen, and even a live pig. This sort of thing is generally discountenanced by the commanding officers, but in the case of the sinking warships it was decided to let the sailors get what they could as otherwise everything would have been sacrificed to the sea.

The Hawaiian Commissioners are starting in on a very economical basis, for outside of a stenographer, their clerical staff is recruited from the employees of Congress who are all on annual salary. As all expenses will be paid, though, it will be a nice little outing for the members of the staff when they go to Honolulu, and furthermore, in the grand total of cost, the Commissioners will be able to smuggle in comfortable allowances for themselves without making the salary account look too large.

Of the many generous acts in connection with the encampment of the soldiers at Camp Barrett none is more noteworthy than that of the president of the San Francisco & North Pacific Railroad who presented the companies recruited at San Rafael, Santa Rosa, and Petaluma with round-trip tickets to their respective home points so that they can enjoy a little vacation from camp life if the opportunity offers. A railroad conducted on such a liberal scale as this well deserves its popularity.

Each hour makes it more certain that there will be little or no fighting to be done at Porto Rico for the mere fact alone that San Juan the capital has no military defenses shows that the Spaniards there will not be in a position to combat the army of 30,000 invaders headed by General Miles. In all probability they will surrender without striking a blow.

The old rule that there is always room for one more is working all right as regards the Philippine expeditions. Although the one just starting a few days ago declared to be positively the last, it is now announced that one more will go anyhow and the boys still in camp are praying that they will be in it.

Latest advices from Manila show that the Germans have quieted down considerably there since the Irene incident. They probably thought that Dewey wouldn't dare to throw down the gauntlet to them; if they did, they now know that they mistook their man.

TO THE POINT.

If I had a son I would put him at a military school and teach him hardship. I would say to him: "My son, never take anything from a woman but love. Wait upon her and serve her as a true knight. God Almighty made man first in order that man should prepare and break a way through the world for woman. If you do less than that you are a ninny."

We often find we have unknown qualities in ourselves to deal with. Consideration is demanded by that inner person which it is better to render; the compliance saves catastrophe.

Only convince yourself that you don't have to do everything which everybody wants you to do, and your life is saved!

When the mind rejects the learning of a thing, the labor of study is doubled.

There are people in this world who can make you pay them well for what you don't want, and put you in the position of having accepted a great favor.

When the very house-painters on their ladders take to singing the "Star Spangled Banner," what chance has Spain!

Straighten yourself, make a duck's back and shed whenever the person seeking a victim for blame or responsibility comes along. An indifferent attitude is more to be coveted than riches, and the ability to retort without saying a word—"Go there yourself; you did it, suppose you attend to the matter"—than much fine gold.

"Science is how things are done," explained one of the children, "and art is the beautiful doing."

"If you only realize you are born to be carried," said madame, sarcastically, "and live up to your privileges, your fortune is secure."

After getting done comes the finishing. And there you test yourself, not only as an artist, but as a person of common sense. The getting done is a shout of victory. But the finishing is that examination of the fabric which may reverse your banners.—Common Person, in Chicago Post.

NOTES AND NOTABLES.

Mr. Dearle, a tallow chandler, living at Epsom, England, saw Mameluke win the Derby in 1827, and has never since missed seeing the great annual event on the English turf.

George W. Cable is meeting with great succes in England, being one of the literary lions of the season. He is being interviewed right and left, and is giving a series of readings at well-known houses.

Senator John P. Jones is said by intimate associates to have made from his Alaska quartz-mining investments a fortune equal to that which he made in the early '70s out of the Comstock bonanza, and which was wholly lost in land and railroad investments.

A Methodist minister at Carthage, Mo., preached such an eloquent patriotic sermon on a recent Sunday that twenty of his hearers—all of whom were colored men—immediately went and offered themselves for service in the regiment of volunteers being organized there.

The Paris Siecle publishes a letter from Captain Dreyfus to his wife, dated the 20th of March of this year. Captain Dreyfus says that his sufferings are nothing less than terrible, and states that he has appealed to the President of the republic to grant a revision of his trial.

The New York Herald, having observed that a Spanish lieutenant captured in the Philippines is named Farragut, reminds us that David Glasgow Farragut, America's great naval hero, was descended from Don Pedro Farragut, who served under James I., King of Aragon. Jorge Farragut, a Spaniard born in Minorca, emigrated to America in 1776, and fought on the revolutionary side in the war for independence. His son, born in Knoxville, Tenn., was the hero of Mobile bay.

A pretty morning jacket is of empire style, made of taffeta silk, trimmed with Chantilly lace and ribbons.

A jaunty jacket is of flowered organdie, trimmed with lace. The vest is of sheer white lawn, which, like the revers, is striped, with rows of insertion. The jacket fits snugly to the figure and flares at the waist.

A SOCIETY GIRL WEDS AN ACROBAT.

Ida Knight of Santa Cruz is Married to John Stack, the Tumbler.

The Sequel of a Romance Commenced at the Seashore Years Ago.

A romance commenced in Santa Cruz eight years ago had its closing chapter in Oakland last Friday when John T. Stack of San Francisco secured a license to wed Miss Ida M. Knight, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. B. Knight of Santa Cruz. The couple were quietly married and are now at Santa Cruz enjoying their honeymoon.

Stack is a professional acrobat and was announced to appear at the Orpheum this week, but matrimony and a sprained ankle interfered and sent him to Santa Cruz instead.

It was at this summer resort eight years ago that Stack first met the girl he later married. She was a belle and the daughter of a prominent man while Stack was then doing a turn in the Pawnee Medicine Company. The difference in their social ranks was overcome and the acrobat secured an introduction to the young girl. He left his company and decided to adopt the professional career of an acrobat.

His brothers were clever acrobats and when he was of suitable age he joined the juvenile class of the Olympic Club of San Francisco. At that time he was a raw-boned, awkward boy. He soon developed into a clever tumbler, and the finish to his education in that department was supplied when Sells Brothers' circus wintered on this coast. The circus acrobats kept in practice at the Olympic Club, and under their guidance the young amateur developed into the best leaper and forward tumbler among them. About this time a triple horizontal bar was added to the gymnasium apparatus. Under the mentorship of Robert Leando Stack commenced practice. He took to the work naturally, and the experts predicted that he would make a name for himself. He was soon a clever performer, even excelling the professionals.

Stack has just finished a four-year tour of the world and on reaching San Francisco again he immediately sent word to his Santa Cruz sweetheart and the result was a quiet little wedding on this side of the bay.

Parental forgiveness was soon bestowed on Stack and his bride and they were recalled to Santa Cruz.

After the Orpheum engagement Mr. Stack will appear in theaters in Los Angeles, Kansas City, Chicago, New York, Philadelphia, and then go to Europe, having been engaged to appear in England, Germany, Austria and France. Mrs. Stack will accompany him on his tour.

REV. OWEN JONES IS CRITICISED.

Dr. E. S. Chapman Says He Tries to Tear Down as Well as to Build Up.

The paper of Rev. Owen Jones on "The Attitude of Ministers on the Sabbath Question" at the weekly meeting of the Presbyterian Union in San Francisco on Monday provoked quite a discussion, and among the reverend gentleman's critics was Rev. E. S. Chapman of this city, who spoke of him as follows:

"He is earnest and enthusiastic," said the speaker, "and will often carry conviction with him. But to me—and I do not think I am given to any extreme views—to me he seems supremely inconsistent. He seems to me to be lifting up the Ten Commandments with one hand and pulling them down with the other. He puts his foot upon the fourth commandment and calls upon all around him to keep the others; but it is possible that some of you are unable to see that riding on a car on Sunday is a transgression of that commandment."

OPENING OF THE DEWEY OPERA HOUSE.

Harry Jackson's Company in a Fine Melodrama Saturday Night.

Oakland theater-goers will be pleasurably surprised when the Dewey Opera House opens Saturday night. The building, formerly the Oakland Theater, has been completely renovated and refitted, and is now one of the coziest and most comfortable places of amusement on the coast.

Harry Jackson's company will open the house in the powerful melodrama, "Over the Sea," of which he is the author. The play abounds in thrilling climaxes, and its action is rapid and of intense interest. The fine scenic effects require the use of much machinery, which is most skillfully used. One of the strongest scenes is a production of the famous old prison at Birmingham, England. In the leading role, Tom Robinson, Mr. Jackson has a part peculiarly congenial to his talents, and his characterization has won warm praise from such exacting critics as those of the New York, St. Louis, and Chicago press.

Joseph Levy, the press agent of the company, was formerly associated with Booth and Barrett, and Modjeska as manager, and is one of the most popular and experienced theatrical men in the business.

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SAME OFFICERS FOR THE VALLEY ROAD.

The Line of the Route From Stockton to Point Richmond.

The annual meeting of the trustees of the stock of the San Francisco and San Joaquin Valley Railroad was held in San Francisco yesterday afternoon and resulted in the unanimous re-election of the old board of directors—Claus Spreckels, John D. Spreckels, J. B. Stetson, Charles Holbrook, Leon Sloss, Alvinza Hayward, Isaac Upham, Thomas Magee and J. A. Hooper—and in the immediate subsequent re-election by these men of their officers—Claus Spreckels as president; Robert Watt, as first vice-president; Captain A. H. Payson, as second vice-president; Alexander Mackay, as secretary, and E. F. Preston as attorney.

The report of General Superintendent Storey as chief engineer showed that all the surveys have been completed for the entire road from Bakersfield to Point Richmond, a total distance of 304 miles.

The course from Stockton toward San Francisco has been definitely determined. Running west from Stockton it crosses the tule marshes, and, after striking the upland, turns northwest and passes through the town of Antioch. Thence it turns practically parallel with the Southern Pacific track to Bay Point; thence to Pacheco landing, at the head of Pacheco slough, where the grading begins to Franklin tunnel. From the tunnel it goes down Rodeo creek and along by the bay shore inside of the Southern Pacific track to San Pablo, and thence on to Richmond, where within a stone's throw of the shore the water is thirty-six feet deep, permitting the landing of all classes of deep-water vessels.

The equipment of the road has been augmented by the addition of 100 new box cars, four locomotives, one pile-driver car and one wrecking car. There are now under construction four caboose cars and four passenger coaches.

QUEER ANTICS OF A CRAZY WOMAN.

Mary Stevenson Labors Under the Delusion That She Is Persecuted.

Mrs. Mary Stevenson, residing on the corner of Ninth and Bristol streets, West Berkeley, was examined at the Receiving Hospital this morning on a charge of insanity.

She imagines that men are crawling on the roof over her room and trying to break into the house. The cracking of the wall paper suggests to her overwrought nerves the report of thunderbolts which seek her life. She repeatedly declares that her landlady, Mrs. Heath, has tried to shoot her with a pistol. This attempt on her life enraged the woman, and she threatened to retaliate by obtaining satisfaction in like manner.

Her husband was a drunkard, and although he earned a comfortable sum of money every month, Mrs. Stevenson and her two daughters often lacked proper wearing apparel, and more than once fell the pangs of hunger. The husband at the present time is in Scotland, and his wife is of the opinion that it is good riddance to bad rubbish.

Mrs. Stevenson was examined by Judge Greene this afternoon.

GAS MEN CONSIDER PRACTICAL SUBJECTS.

John A. Britton of This City is Elected Secretary and Treasurer.

The sixth annual session of the Pacific Coast Gas Association began yesterday morning in the office of the building of the San Francisco Gas and Electric Company, 415 Post street. It comprised active officers of operating gas companies in California, Utah, Nevada, Oregon and Washington, representing forty-three gas companies.

It will remain in session until this evening. The programme included a number of papers on practical subjects in connection with the gas business. In the election of officers, John A. Britton of the Oakland Gas, Light and Heat Company of this city was chosen as secretary and treasurer. The members will take an outing trip to Haywards tomorrow.

Davis Meeting To-Night.

There will be a meeting of the Republicans of the Fourth ward under the auspices of the Fourth Ward Davis Republican Club on Wednesday evening, July 20, 1898, at Montana Hall, Seventh and Adeline streets. The meeting will be addressed by Hon. Wm. R. Davis, A. E. Bolton and others.

MRS. L. JONES ACCUSES LINDERMAN.

Says He Is the Burglar Whom She Frightened Away.

Temescal's Wealthy Land-Owner Fails to See the Joke.

Hugo Linderman, a wealthy young resident of Temescal, was arrested Monday night and taken to the Oakland City Prison, where he was charged with burglary. This fact amuses Linderman's many friends, but the young man cannot see any joke in being dragged to a prison and compelled to furnish $2,000 bonds for his appearance in court.

Mrs. Mary L. Jones, the wife of John G. Jones, a fireman in the Temescal power house, is the complainant. Mr. and Mrs. Jones have resided for the past four months in a modest cottage at 2520 Telegraph avenue. Five weeks ago Mrs. Jones gave birth to a child, and since that time she has been in an unusually nervous condition.

About 1 o'clock Mrs. Jones was awakened by a noise in the hallway. Realizing that the noise was made by a burglar, Mrs. Jones arose quickly and closed the door. The burglar then departed, as he entered, by a stairway leading into the house from the cellar. The cellar and house doors had been left unlocked.

As soon as the burglar had departed Mrs. Jones rushed to the window and yelled "Police!" "Burglars!" "Murder!" While at the window, she says, she saw the burglar scale a fence inclosing the lot adjoining her residence and join another man on Telegraph avenue. According to Mrs. Jones these two men afterward came to the house and offered to assist in searching for the burglar. She recognized the taller man—Linderman—as the burglar and subsequently caused his arrest.

"I don't know what to say about this matter," said Linderman yesterday. "My friends are having a lot of fun, asking me when I went wrong, and saying, 'Hallo! I didn't know you were a burglar.' I can't see the joke, and I want to say that the next time I hear any one yelling police, murder or burglars I am going to make a bee-line for home. I think this woman must be crazy.

"Charley Koch and I were standing at the corner of Thirty-ninth and Telegraph avenues, and I was rolling a cigarette, preparatory to going home, when we heard the woman yelling. We hastened to the house and offered our assistance. The man at the door said everything was all right, and we went home. The next morning I told my friend Williamson, Constable Keefe and several other people about the occurrence. We saw no men on the street or near the house. My reputation is too well known about Oakland and Temescal for any one to consider the charge seriously."

CAMP BARRETT IN A NEW LOCATION.

The Tented City Now Lies Beyond the Leona Railroad.

As announced in these columns several days ago, Camp Barrett has been moved from the site in which it was originally located, to the broad and ample field east of the track to Leona Heights, where better drainage may be obtained. After the removal, the grass and refuse on the old site was burned under the direction of detachment from the several companies, as a sanitary measure.

Mrs. Mills of Mills Seminary is giving cheer and comfort to several of the boys in blue who are under the weather.

Mrs. J. E. Estep of Company H, with her son is quartered in an hotel adjacent to the Camp.

The staff officers are soon to obtain mounts, Lieutenant-Colonel Carrington being the first to procure a horse.

SUMMER HINTS.

Summer comfortables in pretty silkoline and light cotton fillings are much more satisfactory for summer use than are the heavy winter ones.

Shirt waists are now much more elaborate than they were in the past. The blouse seems to be the most popular of all designs.

Shirred and puffed sleeves are the order of the day, and modistes are doing their utmost to make them fashionable.

Insertions are much used on skirts, particularly where thin goods are used.

Long sashes with lace edging are to be worn in all colors, with white gowns.

A pretty way of making black shirt waists is to cross-tuck them.

The apron-front effect in trimming is still the correct thing.

Ribbons, flowers and lace are found on all hats, and no headgear is complete without a jeweled ornament.—New York Tribune.

The fashionable leather for pocket books and bags is monkey-skin.

Gowns of white pique, with colored dots and figures, will be much worn this year.

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FOUR YOUNG LADIES PERISH IN UTAH LAKE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PAYSON, Utah, July 20.—Four young ladies, while swimming in Utah Lake yesterday afternoon, were drowned. While floating on a plank one of them fell off; the others went to her rescue and all were drowned. The bodies have not yet been recovered. Three of the girls, Lucy, Emma, and Susie Keel, were daughters of John Keel of this place. The fourth was Steena Bauer, daughter of E. Bauer of Homansville.

LEITER BORROWS THREE MILLIONS.

He Mortgages Real Estate to Settle His Son's Losses.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., July 20.—The Daily News today says: Milwaukee capital will clean up young Joe Leiter's wheat deal losses. Levi Z. Leiter has practically closed a contract with the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company for the loan of $3,000,000 on his real estate. Mr. Leiter has been arranging this matter with the company for some time, in fact, almost ever since the end of his son's unsuccessful wheat venture.

The rate of interest Mr. Leiter will have to pay was finally settled at 4 per cent.

H. L. Palmer, president of the Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company today confirmed the story of the Leiter loan. Abstracts of Leiter's property are being examined, and the papers covering $2,000,000 of the loan are now being prepared. The third million has been voted by the Company and the deal is expected to be completed next week.

TREASURER GREEN GOT NO BONDS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SACRAMENTO, July 20.—State Treasurer Will S. Green some time ago subscribed for $20,000 of the new Government bonds for the benefit of the ferry depot fund for San Francisco, sending a deposit of $400. Yesterday his deposit was returned with the information that the entire amount had been subscribed under the provision giving preference to individual citizens of the United States and to small subscriptions.

California Postmasters.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—President McKinley today signed the the commissions of the following named Postmasters:

Colton, California, Wilson Hays; Pomona, California, Samuel N. Andrus; Riverside, California, H. H. Streeter; Vallejo, California, W. D. Pennycook.

Coal Drivers Win a Strike.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

DANVILLE, Ill., July 20.—The drivers of the Pawnee Coal Mines have been successful in a strike. After being out two hours the operators granted an increase in wages. It is the first strike that has proved successful here in many years.

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Samples of girls' $4 white dresses.....$1.50
Samples of $2.50 heavy duck lined coats..$1
Samples $1.25 heavy duck lined vests....50c
Samples of heavy gray undershirts, size 42.....25c
Samples of heavy gray drawers, size 40.....25c
Samples $1.25 red wool flannel shirts to 38.....50c
Samples $1.25 red wool flannel drawers..50c

BARGAIN LOTS.

150 samples of fine glassware.....half price
150 samples fine china ware.....half price
200 samples crockery and ornaments.....half price
Samples of high cost chest protectors..40c
Samples of "Lucky Man's" fish baskets.....35c
Samples of $6 Klondike folding stoves.$1.50
50-cent size colic specific.....10c
$1 style of pocket dispensary.....20c
Samples ladies' jackets and capes..half off

FACTORY SAMPLES.

Samples ladies' $2.50 trimmed hats.....$1
Samples ladies' $4 trimmed hats.....$2
Samples ladies' untrimmed hats, half cost.....5c, 10c, 25c
Samples men's $2.50 hats, 12 kinds.....$1
Samples $6 bicycle suits, wool.....$2.50
Samples Klondike shoes or moccasins.$1.50
Samples men's $3.50 Klondike gloves..$1.50
Samples of $2 carriage parasols.....50c, 75c
Samples of Prince Albert coat and vest.....$12.50
Samples of $15 suits, finest wool.....$10
Samples of men's $12 wool suits.....$5

OTHER SAMPLES.

Gray stockings, 12c grade, out of style..5c
Samples of scissors, 5 to 7 inches.....10c
Samples of 10 foot linen bunting flags..$2.50
Sample line bound books, 100 titles.....15c
Samples (10) fancy table covers, $1 grade.....50c
Samples (50) 50c fancy stand covers.....25c
Samples (100) scarfs, splashers, etc..10c up
Sample hams, country cure, not extra...5c
Sample hammocks, all kinds.....45c up
Sample carrying bags, 100 kinds.....25c up
Sample $2.50 clothes hampers, square, stained.....$1

White Swan Flour, fully warranted, in any quantity this week 95c.
Coffee reductions continue all this week. Save while you can.
Our one-cent articles surprise everybody who looks at them.
Wire screening, green, this week at half-price—1 cent square foot.
Jelly glasses with tin cover, less than barrel lots, 2 cents each.
Schooner Negus, a fast sailer, from Alaska, for sale or charter, cheap.

Sample Shoes.

Boys' heavy shoes, 2 to 4.....69c
Boys' heavy $1.25 shoe, 11 to 13.....75c
Girls' $1.50 school button, 12, 13½.....75c
Girls' or ladies' cloth and kid, 2½, 3 at..85c
Narrow samples, $2 to $2.50, all 3½.....50c
Ladies' $1.50, nice kid samples, size 8....75c
Men's low shoes, out of style, 5, 7.....99c
Men's $3.50 button shoes, 5 to 10.....$1.25

SMITHS' CASH STORE

25-27 Market St., S. F.

CAMPAIGN OF PARDEE OPENS IN THE FIFTH.

A Club Organization Is Perfected With Officers.

William N. Friend Chosen President With Unanimity.

A SPEECH BY THE CHAIR.

Dr. Pardee Says He Wants an Alameda County Man For Governor.

The Pardee Club in the Fifth ward was organized last night in one of the halls connected with the National Guard armory on Twelfth street near Broadway. The apartment was filled with a number of enthusiastic Republicans, a majority of whom were young men.

The meeting was called to order by J. M. Taylor, who said that the object of the gathering was the organizing of a Pardee Republican Club of the Fifth ward and the first thing in the order of business would be the selection of a temporary chairman.

W. N. Friend was placed in nomination and unanimously elected to the position.

W. H. Pheby was nominated for and elected temporary secretary.

On motion of J. Cal Ewing the temporary officers were made permanent.

On motion of J. M. Taylor a committee on constitution and by-laws was appointed, consisting of Messrs. Harris, Horn and Avery.

The committee retired.

J. M. Taylor suggested that those who had not yet signed the membership roll should do so immediately.

The chair announced that at that time there were sixty-five names on the roll of members.

It was then announced that Mr. Avery of the committee on by-laws was not in attendance, whereupon H. S. Champ was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Chairman Friend said that an informal meeting had been held a week ago of the friends of Dr. Pardee who was a candidate for the position of Governor and that the meeting had decided that it would be better at once to bring all the soldiers together for effective work in the campaign.

J. M. Taylor said that all the members were expected to do was to work for the nomination of Dr. Pardee. (Cheers.)

Dr. Horn of the committee on constitution and by-laws then submitted a condensed law of procedure for the club, the name of which latter was to be the Fifth Ward Pardee Republican Club; the objects of the organization to work for Dr. Pardee as a candidate for Governor of California; the officers were to be a president, secretary and treasurer in one incumbent; there were to be seven vice-presidents, with an executive committee of seven members and the meetings are to be called by the president or the executive committee.

On motion of Felton Taylor, the constitution and by-laws were adopted.

The vice-presidents, on motion of several members, were nominated and elected as folows: F. E. Brigham, Frank Parcells, Dr. J. W. Ellis, Dr. Hill, Joseph Harris, J. L. Champlin, and J. C. Suhr.

The chair, under authority of the by-laws, then appointed the executive committee as follows: J. W. Stetson, J. Cal Ewing, Felton Taylor, W. A. Kenney, J. B. Melvin, W. H. Collins and C. B. Mead.

The chair then called on J. B. McChesney for a few remarks. "I have been," said Mr. McChesney, "a member of the Republican party for a good many years. In fact, I heard William Henry Seward pronounce the funeral oration over the Whig party in the capitol at Washington a good many years ago. Since then I have been a member of the Republican party. I know the Republican party from the beginning. I know its history. We have heard it said that the old Republican party had outlived its usefulness. I know that it may have done some things which it ought not to have done, but I think I can safely say that I can challenge any one to show a party which has done more for the people than the Republican party has. That party has always been ready to take the initiative.

"There is another party that has been on the other side—the Democratic party. It has been the party of obstruction. The Republican party always takes up the initiative. I believe in the party of progress.

"The character of the gentlemen present here is different from that which appeared in these meetings for many years. Formerly the party in this ward used to be managed by old men. I see young members of the Republican party in the ward and they are to carry the party to success. You young men are hustlers. You have energy and push and a man ahead of you so that you can work for with all your energy. When you've got a man at the head of you, you can do a great deal. You saw what Dewey did at Manila, what Sampson did at Santiago and I argue that you can do a great deal in Oakland under the character of the men who are going to take up the fight."

J. L. Chapman was called on for a speech by the chairman, but declined for the time being.

F. M. Parcells was the next speaker. "The American people," he said, "have been charged with being a nation of liars, and we as a nation have been accused of being conceited and boastful, and judging from our newspapers and their tone, there is something to justify that criticism. However great liars we may be, we can challenge any nation of all to show greater courage, majesty, legislation and morality. I am satisfied that the Republican party has done more to put in the position to challenge any foreign nation for the display of the higher principles of government."

Mr. Parcells then read the preamble to which each member had signed his name, emphasizing those parts which contained references to Dr. Pardee and the esteem in which he was held by the people.

"I don't think," he continued, "that I could have delivered a more eloquent speech than to have read this preamble. I want to be placed on record by word of mouth as well as by signing my name, to do my endeavor to accomplish what we will hope will be the head of the next ticket, George C. Pardee." (Applause.)

Frank Brigham was then called on for a speech, but declined, saying:

"All of us gathered here to-night are met for one purpose, which is to accomplish the feat of making an Alameda county man the next Governor of California. George C. Pardee is our candidate, and for him we shall go into this fight to win, assured by his record that Alameda county need fear naught but distinction from her loyal son."

Three cheers were then given for Dr. Pardee.

Rev. Dr. J. W. Ellis was then called for. "I have come," he said, "because of an invitation which I received, and because of two reasons, one of which is the high respect which I have for the man you are naming for Governor, and the other the respect for the principles you represent.

"The Republican party was organized for a moral purpose and is now engaged in the same work of elevating mankind, and we can not but recognize the fact that the Republican party is great.

"I don't know how much of a worker I might make. Until he is engaged in the harness, no man can tell what he might do. I shall, if I be here at the time, vote for Dr. Pardee for Governor. While I have been in Los Angeles and while I know they have put forward a worthy man for the position of Governor, at the same time I am of the opinion that it is done so that they may receive another position. I think, though, and believe it to be certain, that our candidate, your candidate, will be the candidate and will be elected by the Republican vote this fall."

J. C. Suhr was introduced as a soldier friend of Dr. Pardee and said: "I acknowledge what has been said of me as having shared the pleasure of the tented field with Dr. Pardee. I am also here to work with him as his first lieutenant and for all the time for George C. Pardee as the Governor of this State, and I shall work hard and earnestly."

At Mr. Suhr's suggestion, three cheers were given for the candidate.

Joseph Harris was then called for. "I did not expect," he said, "that the selection as a vice-president included the making of a speech. As the chairman referred to be as an old worker, I think I could do more at the polls than in making a speech. I have been a resident of the Fifth Ward for many a year, and I have been a member of every Fifth Ward Republican Club which was organized in the interests of good government. I have now subscribed my name to the roll of a club which means to succeed. I know Dr. Pardee well. I take pleasure in that I know he is a man worthy of the position which we are to nominate him to. I shall do all that I can and will take advantage of what Mr. McChesney has said, about having grown gray in the service, and will leave you younger members to make a speech."

Then President Friend said before he introduced the next speaker he would say something about himself, and he then spoke as follows:

"From boyhood up I have been taught to look upon Dr. George C. Pardee as one of the best examples of manhood engaged in public life. That my teachings have not been misdirected, I stand here to-night to show my regard and admiration for Dr. Pardee. I feel, however, as though the honor of the presidency of this club should be placed upon the shoulders of older and better-seasoned political soldiers than I, men longer in the service and the heroes of some past political victory. Nevertheless I consider it an honor of which I am proud indeed to receive, and I shall endeavor to the best of my ability to make Dr. Pardee's candidacy in the Fifth Ward a complete success.

"In this campaign we must make no mistake. We are Republicans and no man can ask for office in this county who is not Republican. I know and you know it and they know it, and yet the friends of the rival of our beloved Dr. Pardee have attempted to stamp on him the brand of a non-Republican, or an anti-Republican. They have insisted that we are not Republicans. That is the issue of the campaign. They have asserted that we are bolters, that we are opposed to the Republican party, and that we are not entitled to vote the Republican ticket.

"Did not you and I vote for Dr. Pardee in 1893? Did not you and I declare that a ring should not control the affairs of this city when we overpowered them by 3 to 1? I tell you if 956 men composed the Republican party in 1893 in Oakland, then let us accept the gauge and give them battle for battle.

"If Dr. Pardee has been read out of the party, then you and I have been read out of it. The people of Alameda county know who compose the Republican party. They know it because of what you and I did to sweep the ringsters out of power, so as to have your party in place. What constitutes a party, a gang? What constitutes a party, a ring? What constitutes a party, a fraudulent combination manipulating nominations? I say no. You are Republicans. I am a Republican. We never were read out of the party, and, if it had not been for the 2,700 Republicans who sought to bring purity into the Republican party, this State would never have gone for McKinley in '98. [Cheers.]

"Men say that Dr. Pardee has been read out of the party. A rose by any other name would smell as sweet, but it depends on the smeller. When they say that 956 men compose the Republican party, I say let them carry it into the campaign and we will meet them and if 956 men can beat 2,270, I would like to see how it can be done. I was brought up under Professor McChesney and I never learned any such arithmetic.

"Our leader and standard bearer has been charged, by inuendo, so that he who runs may read, that Dr. Pardee is a man without brains. In the meetings of our rival, such charges have been again and again made and, in effect, that there can be no brains found save in the legal profession. All respect to the legal profession, but the legal profession does not contain all the brains. Do you mean to say that this gentleman will insist that the people of this county erred when they sent to Sacramento, to occupy the Governor's chair, a man who was not a member of the legal profession? He was only a merchant. Do they mean to admit that the Legislature of this State was wrong when it saw fit to send that man to the United States Senate? Would you or any person impute impure motives to the Legislature in sending George C. Perkins to the United States Senate?

"They are again and again making this charge they are giving the ghost dance and see what ideas they are disseminating through the county. It makes me wroth when I hear those men charge that Dr. Pardee did not do politics when his father lay on his bed of death, and when filial duty called our candidate to his father's home. You believe that such conduct is bound to rebound on those who use it. The men who authorize it are deserving the greatest contempt you and I can bestow upon them.

"Another charge is that in order to defeat that distinguished sand-lotter (Maguire), the candidate of the Republican party must nominate a man who can make such a speech as to make Demosthenes roll over in his grave to know what he has missed [Laughter] and make Daniel Webster groan in his grave to see how he has been eclipsed. [Laughter.]

"They also tell us they have not only speches of Dr. Pardee which have been delivered spontaneously, but also speeches which have been delivered with deliberation, and after intimating that he can not open his mouth, they have given to Alameda county in this campaign but one old speech. It is the same old thing, whether we hear it or whether we read it. The leader utters it and the lieutenants take it up and use it in pieces.

"We are not fools nor ignoramuses. We may not belong to the 900, but 2700 Republicans are not to be beguiled into believing that we have a Demosthenes or a Webster in one who delivers that one old speech.

"I have some sympathy for one person. That is poor old Smith, Mayor of Petaluma. He has also been Mayor of San Bernardino. They have lugged him down to Santa Clara, to Livermore, to Haywards and to Napa, and the next thing we may hear of him he will be in the asylum. Now, we Republicans don't intend to have 900 thrust that down our throat. We don't propose to have the Republican party downed by the men who want the 900. We have a good candidate, and if we are proud of him why, in the words of Patrick Henry, let them make the most of it."

Three cheers were here given for Dr. Pardee, who was next called on to speak by the chair.

"Need I say," said the doctor, "that I appreciate, from the bottom of my heart, the friendship that you show for me this evening? I have lived here for nearly thirty-one years. I have grown up here. I have grown from boyhood to manhood in the city of Oakland. I have seen it change from a straggling village to almost a metropolis. I've seen its streets knee-deep in sand, change to the finely-paved thoroughfares of the present day, and, in all that time, I have never been ashamed of any political action I ever committed. I stand here to-night as a candidate for the Republican nomination for Governor of my native State. It is an honor which any man might covet. It is an honor of such a nature that any man in this State should be proud to reach for. If I should receive that nomination, and reach that office, it will be the proudest day I have ever had or ever expect to have.

"My friend, Mr. Davis, is a candidate for the same office. For him I have only the greatest respect. He has received the highest honors which the city of Oakland can confer. He is an honest and honorable man and higher than that he is a good citizen. I have no word to say against his personal life, public career, or in respect to his candidacy. I am for an Alameda man for Governor. First, I want to see Alameda county represented in the State capitol for four years. If I can't get the nomination, I want some other Alameda county man to get it. If I can't get it, I want Mr. Davis to get it and I will help him to the best of my ability. If I receive a majority of the delegates, I want all of them. If Mr. Davis gets a majority of the delegation, I want him to have all of it. I have no enemies to punish, but I hope to have a great many friends to reward. Even the spectacle of one of my best political enemies on the platform with Davis does not change my feeling of admiration for Mr. Davis. I am a plain man and I'm going to talk to plain people. I am not going to say in the Fifth, the Seventh, and the Fourth Ward, in which last-mentioned I now reside, what I shall not say in other wards, or that in the event of the other man receiving the nomination we should all go into the tent and sulk like Ajax.

"I am glad my long-time friend (W. N. Friend) has touched on the Republicanism of the city of Oakland, because it calls upon me for two remarks, first, because Mr. Davis wants the support of 962 people in Oakland. He doesn't ask for the support of anybody else. This recalls the time when of the 8,000 voters in Oakland the Republican nominee received the number of 956 votes. Mr. Davis says that the men who did vote for the Republican party have no right now to vote the Republican ticket.

"I want the support of every one of you and of every loyal man who thinks I am fit to fill the office to which I aspire, whether he represents one of the 2700 or one of the 962. I stand here to say to friends in the city of Oakland that my career, political, private, and professional, is open to you. It is before you to read. Read it. If you think I am aspiring to too high an office, I don't want you to support me. If you have confidence in me that I can fill the office to which I aspire, I shall be proud of your support." [Cheers.]

J. Cal Ewing suggested that an open meeting be held some night next week and the subject was referred to the Executive Committee.

J. W. Stetson was the last speaker. "There is but one more thing to do," said Mr. Stetson, "and that is to go to work. We are now organized and with such a leader as we have, nothing will stop us placing him at the head of the Republican ticket. To do that means success at the polls in November."

At the conclusion of the meeting the executive committee met and decided to hold their next open meeting at Armory Hall, Hook building, on Friday evening, July 28th. Prominent speakers and a musical programme will be arranged for the occasion.

CLUB LAWS AND MEMBERS.

"We, the undersigned Republican residents of the Fifth Ward of the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, recognizing the past services of George C. Pardee, to the Republican Party and the people of the county of Alameda; and, believing it to be for the best interests of the people of the State of California, and of the Republican party, that he should be the nominee of that party for the office of Governor at the coming State election:

"We therefore pledge ourselves, by our support, and votes, and by word of mouth to use our best efforts to secure a solid delegation from Alameda county to the Republican State Convention in favor of George C. Pardee.

"And to that end, we hereby unite form a club, to be known as the Fifth Ward Pardee Club, of the City of Oakland, county of Alameda, and invite all Republicans of the Fifth Ward who are so minded and who are in accord herewith to subscribe their names hereto."

The constitution and by laws of the new club and referred to above, are as follows, there being also appended, the names of the members who signed the roll:

A. A. Carney, J. B. McChesney, W. D. Goodwin, Eugene S. Van Court, T. A. Beckwith, J. T. Dille, John Laughland, A. Edwards, William Laughland, P. M. Parcells, Beach Dean, W. H. Nathandel, W. E. Travers, T. B. Goodwin, F. Laughland, John C. Suhr, F. A. McCuen, A. N. McCuen, B. R. McCuen, T. T. Dargie, B. Y. Morris, C. E. Parcells, Roger B. Friend, O. Barbagelata, E. S. Shanklin, R. K. Stedman, Churchill Taylor, C. B. Parcells, F. W. Newell, J. H. Starke, William P. Horne, C. O. Stellet, J. J. McCarthy, John W. Ellis, G. C. Champion, F. M. Dunwoody, T. L. Horn, W. H. Collins, Frank E. Brigham, John F. Wood, F. J. Saxe, Joseph Harris, C. B. Mead, J. W. Darrow, W. J. Downie, W. G. Finch, Henry How, J. L. Champlin, J. Cal Ewing, W. H. Dickerson, R. W. Lohman, W. Nat Friend, George R. Babcock, J. B. Melvin, J. C. Ellis, R. L. Hill, Robert Eland, W. S. Kenney, O. H. Marx, Clarence Crowell, Felton Taylor, B. J. Fellows, H. Meinecke, E. H. Ellis, James M. Taylor, John W. Stetson, Thomas B. Pheby Jr., James P. Dean, Montell Taylor, Hugh S. Shamp.

Doings in the Police Court.

The following violators of the law came up before Judge Allen in the Police Court this morning:

Emile Duchran, for being drunk. Judgment was suspended.

D. P. Anderson and B. Adams both forfeited $2 bail for violating the bicycle ordinance.

George Curdy was sentenced to $6 or three days for drunkenness. His trial on the charge of carrying a deadly weapon was continued to July 21st.

Robert Reed, found guilty of petit larceny, will be sentenced July 30th.

William Echman will come up for sentence July 27th for disturbing the peace.

The case of C. E. Kinard, charged with embezzlement of $5 was continued to August 5th for trial by jury.

Leslie F. Blackburn was re-arrested on the charge of assault with a deadly weapon. His examination was fixed for July 25th. Blackburn deposited a thousand dollars cash bail.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The fac-simile signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

Pension For an Oakland Man.

Alfred Clark of Oakland has been granted a re-issue pension of $12 monthly.

What Advertising Will Do.

What even a small announcement will do is illustrated by the throngs of ladies which have been induced to attend the clearance sale of Flynn's at 1117-1119 Broadway, by the announcements in the Tribune. To accomplish such marked results it must be acknowledged that the bargains and reputation of the house must support the advertising.

DR. J. L. MILTON

Has moved from the Central Bank building to Canning block, 1115 Broadway. Office hours, 1:30 to 2:30 P. M. and 7 to 8 P. M. Telephone white 874.

You can hardly realize that its medicine when taking Carter's Little Liver Pills; they are very small; no bad effects; all troubles from torpid liver are relieved from their use.

The Narrow Gauge Market.

The Narrow Gauge Meat Market, Garner & Son, prop'rs, sell prime meats below down-town prices, and invite the patronage of contiguous residents. Cor. Webster and Ninth streets.

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Children's Tan Shoes
Boys' Tan Shoes
Ladies' Tan Shoes

Prices Reduced One-Half

$2 50 Shoe reduced to $1 25
3 00 " " 1 50
2 00 " " 75

Some sizes in Fine Black Oxfords and Southern Ties at 50c and 75c, former prices from $2.00 to $3.50.

White Canvas Oxfords. We have them all sizes and widths, on new coin toe. Price.....$1 45

We are showing new lines of Ladies' Lace and Button Boots in turn and welted soles, on latest lasts, both in kid and patent tips, genuine vici kid—look and wear like $5.00 shoes—our prices on all styles, $3 and $3.50; the same shoe, machine sewed, at $2.50. These bargains in fine footwear are not offered by any other shoe house.

We are selling agents for Laird, Schober & Co., John Foster & Co., and several other long established and standard shoemakers.

We handle more fine shoes than any other shoe firm west of Chicago, and are permanently located at 1059 Washington St. and in Macdonough Block, Oakland; 931 Market Street, opp. Mason, San Francisco.

Soliciting your patronage, we pledge considerable attention to your wants and wearing service in our goods.

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'Pete," the favorite chef, late of the *Athenia Club*, in charge.

J. J. CARROLL, - Prop.

HOPE WE WILL HOLD FAST THE PHILIPPINES.

English Are Practically United on That Point.

Such a Policy Would Be an Advantage to Great Britain.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, July 20.—The London correspondent of the Tribune, writing under date of July 6th, says: There is no reason to doubt that nearly all the influential leaders in English public life are hoping that the Americans will retain control of the Philippines after the close of the war with Spain. They don't profess to be disinterested in their advice, nor to look at the question from an American point of view. They frankly admit that the occupation of the Philippines by either France, Germany, or Great Britain will subject the relations of European powers to a dangerous strain, and they favor permanent American control of the group in the interest of peace. They are also sensible of the great advantage which England would derive from the moral and diplomatic support of the United States in all questions relating to China and the far East if the American flag were raised at Manila for all time. As Englishmen with practical instincts, and influenced by considerations of enlightened self-interest, they are outspoken and emphatic in expressing their hope that America will enlarge her sphere of activity in the world's diplomacy and work.

Lord Kimberly has been at the head of the Foreign Office, and is one of the most cautious and sagacious leaders of the Liberal party. The speech which he made at the American dinner this week was of great significance and has been widely discussed here. He said in part:

"Common language, although a very strong bond between peoples, was not the strongest bond. A far stronger one was a community of interest. The interests of the two peoples run largely on the same lines, and they could look forward for a friendship which may be enduring and for the benefit of both countries. The United States was at the parting of the ways, and the time had come when the American people would take a larger interest in what went on in other parts of the world. If they so should extend their interests in other parts of the world, it would be a signal advantage to the English people, although that people thought they were strong and could stand alone, yet it could not be a matter of indifference to them that a sister nation was coming to stand by their side. Once the two peoples had parted in anger; they had now returned to friendship. May that friendship be long and enduring."

Not a word was said about the Philippines, but the context involves the application. When the Englishmen speak of the extension of American interests "to other parts of the world," they do not refer to the Spanish West Indies, which are geographically close to the United States. Their thoughts are centered upon the Philippines and China, where they ardently desire to see "a sister nation stand by their side."

Lord Kimberly, with less reserve than one would have expected from a former Foreign Secretary, frankly confessed that American co-operation in that quarter would be a signal advantage to the English people. This is also the view of Sir William Harcourt, Mr. Asquith, Mr. Arnold Morley, Sir Charles Dilke, and other leaders on the Liberal side. There are two Liberal leaders who are sufficiently broad-minded to reflect seriously and deliberately upon the consequences of a new colonial and imperial policy so far as Americans themselves are concerned. John Morley, one of the most sincere and disinterested friends of American institutions to be found in England, will probably regret the entrance of the United States upon a career of foreign expansion as a dangerous experiment, which may interfere with the real interests of American civilization.

Another friend of everything American is James Bryce, who has not hesitated to express his distrust and apprehensions of tendencies toward colonization and enlargement of the empire and to forecast grave changes in the situation in view of the new policies.

On the Unionist side there is no more outspoken advocate than Mr. Chamberlain of American annexation of the Philippines. Lord Salisbury not only represents the old school of British diplomacy, based upon conservatism and sobriety of judgment, but he is also a silent statesman, who guards jealously his own secrets. Mr. Arthur Balfour knows the Prime Minister's mind respecting American policy in the Philippines, if any one does, and there is no other Englishman who is more enthusiastic respecting the policy of a common basis of action in the far East for England and America.

Every Unionist hopes that the Americans will remain in the Islands. Forwards and Moderates stand together on this question.

With the great parties practically united in Parliament for American occupation of the islands, the city press is running strongly in one direction. Correspondents wherever they go hear expressions of hope that the United States will not withdraw from the Philippines.

Guilty of Battery.

The case of W. S. Lettreal, charged with battering A. Shawl, was heard in the Police Court this morning. The defendant was found guilty and ordered to appear on July 21st for sentence.

From the evidence in court this morning it appeared that there was a dispute between the two men in regard to who was going to pay Shawl's transportation between San Francisco and East Oakland, where plaintiff was painting a house for defendant. Hot words ensued and resulted in Shawl's being battered by Lettreal.

Continued Slump In All Matters Athletic.

Interest For the Most Part Centers in the East.

GUNNERS CHASE THE DEER

Wheelmen Put Their Machines to Practical Use on Country Roads.

THE UMPIRE.

A cloud of gloom has floated over the local sporting world with the news of the terrible catastrophe of yesterday morning. There it will hover during the ensuing week. Sportsmen can take no pleasure in their games while the sad thought lingers with them.

The initial action of the residents of this city who have formed the Lake Merritt Sanitary Improvement Club, has aroused the fondest hopes among oarsmen about the bay, who foresee in this movement a reform in the rowing of the State. If Lake Merritt is dredged and made a healthful resort, there is no doubt but that it will become a center of sculling enthusiasts, and along entirely new lines. The heavy, so-called out-rigger skiffs made necessary by the rough waters of the bay will give way to shells, and rowing races can be conducted here on the same plan as they are in the interior cities. The matter has created great enthusiasm among the patrons of this sport and they will lend the advocates of the measure their heartiest support.

At the present time, Lake Merritt is a mere cess-pool. Sewers enter it in three place, so that it is fast becoming a serious menace to the health of Oakland. Though naturally one of the finest water parks in the State, it has become a place to be avoided. A recent chemical analysis of the water and mud in it so startled a number of adjacent residents that they decided to enlighten the people of the subtle danger lurking in the disease-breed lake. Behind the new sanitary club are many of the most influential citizens of this city, and they have aroused a majority of the City Council, as well as a host of residents to the threatening danger, and have moreover practically secured the undertaking of their object. The proposition is to stop the emptying of sewage into the lake, to project the main sewer out into the deep water, and to dredge the bottom to a uniform depth of four feet. This would not only assure a clean, healthful sheet of water where athletes would not hesitate to breathe deeply of the air, but would give a fine three-quarter of a mile straight-away course for rowing. The banks of the lake are so formed that at least 20,000 people could see the entire course of a mile and a half race. Some have already dared to suggest that the championship races be held over this course on Admission Day, but the average oarsman will feel jubilant if this is made possible within a year.

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A Scotch insanity expert, Doctor Havelock, expresses the opinion in an official report that the wheel helps to cure mental diseases. This is the doctor's testimony in regard to his patients: "A few of the men, in suitable cases, have been allowed to cycle, and have materially improved mentally and physically in consequence. It is believed that this form of exercise and recreation has a beneficial effect in the early stages of some forms of mental disorder, and I have seen several cases where it has hastened convalescence and established a sound recovery. Cycling seems to detract the mind from the morbid trains of thought and intense self-absorption in such cases more effectually, perhaps, than any other kind of recreation available."

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Jim Jeffries has started in to train for his contest with Maher at Oceanica, N. J., and as he has always been accustomed to train at least four or six weeks for a contest, he will therefore be in fit condition when he enters the ring. His newly-made friends in New York, and there seem to be many of them, are already predicting his victory. One prominent critic, voicing public opinion on the Eastern slope, in discussing the coming battle says:

"The showing made by Peter Maher in his bout with Joe Goddard last Friday night was a surprise to the admirers of the Irish champion, and although Peter was successful in winning from the old but game Australian, many think that unless he shows better fighting abilities Jeffries will surely beat him in short order on August 19. Maher was far from being the same clever boxer he was when he met Joe Choynski and Tom Sharkey in this city over a year ago, and if he could have done the same footwork on Friday night as he used to do, the chances are that Goddard would have had his own troubles in landing the punches on the Irishman. Jeffries is regarded by every one who has seen him as being a terrific puncher with both hands, and a remarkably clever boxer for a man of his size and weight, and as he is also as cool as a cucumber while he is fighting, the knowing ones seem to think he will surely beat Maher when they meet at the Lenox Athletic Club. Jeffries' quick victories over Jackson, Goddard, and Mexican Pete prove what a good man the Californian is."

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With the closing of the Pacific Coast Trotting Horse Breeders' Association meet last Saturday, at Emeryville, the lovers of fast horseflesh were deprived of one of the finest exhibitions ever given on the Coast. Nothing but commendation has yet been heard of the management of the affair, and only satisfaction has been expressed at the sport provided. The new system of single-heat racing met with widespread approval, and proved a drawing and popular feature.

The conclusion to be drawn from the three weeks' racing is that interest in the old-time sulky racing has not abated. Variety is a spice even to racing, and the trotting races were welcomed as a treat.

The Oakland baseball team proved that it still has starch in it by the easy victory over Fresno last Sunday. The boys have been playing in hard luck. We hope they are now on an upward climb, and that they will eventually pull out, if not on top, a close second.

THE UMPIRE.

BOXING.

Tom Sharkey is beginning to realize that there are worse places than San Francisco for sloggers of his class. He repeatedly has referred to his shabby treatment in the East, and recently has intimated that he may soon return to this coast.

While Jim Corbett is telling the public over his signature how highly he regards the cleverness and other fighting qualities of his next opponent, Kid McCoy, news comes in a roundabout way from the Ellis street pool-room that Jim has written several letters to his brother Harry, in which he refers to McCoy as "dead easy," a "cinch," etc., for him. The majority of the American people shares this view with Corbett, and there is no doubt that they will show it in the betting if ever the contest takes place.

The Excelsior Athletic Club will give an exhibition at its Folsom street club-rooms tomorrow night.

Joe Kennedy and Billy Allen will box twenty rounds for a decision. Both men are six feet tall and will weigh about 185 pounds. Being young and fairly clever, they are expected to furnish a pretty lively contest.

Joe Ray of the Olympic Club and Phil Green of Oakland will box ten rounds, and there will also be a ten round affair between Jake LaRue and George Murphy.

Following are two signed articles which give the personal views of Jim Corbett and Kid McCoy on their coming battle:

"I am more than glad to get back to the ring. I grew tired of doing nothing soon after the Carson fight, but until McCoy came along no one would accept my challenge. I am in excellent condition now, thanks to baseball. A month's training, and I'll be fit as a fiddle. For months past I have done light work, as I had this match in view. Baseball playing has always been my hobby, and it has strengthened me greatly. I intend to get right down to weight and take advantage of every moment of time up to the day of the fight. I have a high estimate of McCoy's ability. He is a hardy, scientific youngster, and is able to put up a stiff argument with any one. I would far rather have him as an opponent than some of the clumsy, lumbering heavyweights. I have carefully watched McCoy since he beat Ryan at Maspeth. At first I didn't think of him seriously. His work against Ryan proved that he was worthy of attention. He has been coming fast of late, and showed improvement in each fight. McCoy's style may prove bothersome. It is somehow like my own. I have never met a man whose ring tactics resembled those of the 'Kid.' He says he is going to have his sparring mates use my blows in practice. I'll return the compliment. I know McCoy's style as well as he knows mine. During my training I'll experiment with his punches and find counters. We'll both probably invent some new blows, one of which may win the fight. I do not look for an easy victory. Of course, I expect to win. So does McCoy. So does every fighter, or he would not make his matches. Our bout will be a rattling good one, I feel sure. The winner can force Fitz into the ring. I still hanker for another try at Mr. Fitzsimmons. Rest assured I'll be in shape to do my best. The battle means too much to me to take any chances. I realize the mistakes I made against Fitz, and I won't repeat them.

"JAMES J. CORBETT."

"Ever since I whipped Ryan at Maspeth I have longed for a chance at Corbett. A match with him has always been the height of my ambition. I have carefully studied his style and ring tactics. I think I know every blow he has command of. In my training for the coming fight I will have my training partners use his punches. When I step into the ring I hope to have his methods down fine. Corbett is the most scientific of heavyweights, but it will be science against science.

"As for training, I have never fought without having trained thoroughly. This time I'll train and work as I never did before. It is the turning point in my career. If I beat Corbett, Fitzsimmons will have to fight me for the championship. When I fought my first ring battle I had the world's championship in view. It has been a long, hard pull, but as yet I have not fallen down. Now my chance has come, and there's no danger of my neglecting it. I have always been careful and cautious in the ring. It's a good policy and has put me where I am. I don't intend to take any chances with Corbett; he is the most dangerous and watchful man I have ever met, and an opening to him might mean my finish.

"JAMES ('KID') McCOY."

BASEBALL.

One of the results of last Sunday's game between the Eighth Regiment and Grand Rule Bazaar teams is renewed interest in the County League. The teams playing in the local organizations have been playing good ball ever since the league was organized, but now that such a crack combination as the team from the Eighth has been added the popularity of the sport is found to increase.

The soldier boys have a team that will, with a little practice, be able to play any ball team on the coast, and if they do not win the championship of this county it will be a surprise to those who witnessed their first game.

The game between the Alerts and Owls at Alameda Sunday was somewhat of a surprise to those who have been following these teams. Only three hits did the Alerts get of Flege, and Russell, their pitcher, made those. When at their best these teams are the most evenly matched of any other two in the league, but Sunday's game was not up to the usual standard.

Next Sunday the Owls, formerly the California Stars, and the soldiers from the Eighth will try conclusions at Elmhurst. As yet the Owls have not been beaten, and, though they appreciate the fact that they will not have an easy thing of it, they promise to keep the boys in blue busy.

There is some talk of arranging a game between Cal Ewing's team, the Oaklands, and the Eighth Regiment, to take place on a Saturday for the benefit of the Red Cross Society. This would be a great contest.

The Oakland team has at last succeeded in breaking the monotony of defeats by winning a game at Fresno.

The game started out with the Fresno team in the lead, but the Oakland boys played for all they were worth and tied the score in the fourth inning.

After that the Fresno team lost confidence and the Oaklands simply outplayed them both at the bat and in the field.

Donovan and Dean distinguished themselves by making several very difficult catches.

Moskiman pitched a beautiful game of ball and was ably piloted by the fine backstop work of Sullivan. Sullivan has been putting up great ball behind the bat and is hitting well, also.

The team work of the Oakland infielders should not be overlooked, as they played like veterans.

The batting of the team was also greatly improved, and Manager Ewing says it was all on account of the two days' batting practice last week.

Next Sunday, at Recreation Park, Eighth and Harrison streets, San Francisco, the Oaklands are billed to play the San Jose team.

This team is second and it is a hard combination to beat, but the Oaklands think they have struck their winning streak and are determined to get back as many games as they lost. This should be one of the best games of the season.

Ladies admitted to the grounds free of charge.

CYCLING.

Following is a schedule of distances which may be of value to the wheelmen who take a country jaunt:

FRUITVALE TO SAN JOSE.

Points on route.	Miles.
Fruitvale Station	00
Plittsville Park	75
High Street	1 00
Austin Avenue	1 10
Fitchburg	2 80
Elmhurst	4 05
San Leandro	5 60
Tank Corner	8 75
San Lorenzo	9 45
Mount Eden	13 35
Alvarado	16 40
Centerville	21 05
Irvington	24 35
Warm Springs	28 10
Milpitas	32 35
Halfway House	36 00
San Jose	39 45

OAKLAND TO SAN JOSE (VIA HAYWARDS.)

Broadway-12th	00
Fruitvale	3 25
San Leandro	8 85
Haywards	14 45
Haywards Park	15 25
Halfway House	18 25
Niles	24 60
Mission San Jose	28 70
Warm Springs	33 25
Milpitas	37 30
San Jose	44 40

SAN FRANCISCO TO SAN JOSE (VIA BAY ROAD.)

Varney's Bicborama	00
Twenty-fourth and San Bruno Rd	2 65
Six Mile House	6 00
Sierra Point	9 50
South San Francisco	11 00
San Bruno	12 75
Junction	13 45
Milbrae	15 50
San Mateo	19 65
Homestead	20 25
Belmont	23 65
Redwood City	27 40
Menlo Park	30 80
Palo Alto	31 80
Mayfield	33 55
Junction	37 75
Mountain View	38 80
Milliken Corners	44 25
The Grove	46 50
Santa Clara	47 35
Cyclers' Track	50 00
San Jose	51 00

SAN FRANCISCO TO GEYSERS AND UKIAH.

Sausalito	00
Larkspur	8 50
Escalle Station	9 00
Tamalpais	10 25
Ross Valley	10 60
San Anselmo	11 90
San Rafael	13 75
Novato	24 40
Petaluma	37 00
Chicken Rancho	39 25
Penns Grove	42 40
Santa Rosa	53 50
Junction	57 75
Mark West Springs	63 25
Windsor	62 95
Healdsburg	69 35
Geyserville	77 10
Cloverdale	87 35
Geysers	105 35
Cloverdale	87 35
Pieta	98 60
Hopland	104 35
Ukiah	122 35

OAKLAND TO UKIAH (VIA LAKE COUNTY.)

Oakland, Broadway, 12th	00
San Pablo	11 75
Vallejo Junction	25 25
Vallejo Ferry	
Three Mile House	28 55
Four Mile House	29 75
Half Way House	32 15
Siscol House	36 50
Napa	40 35
Yountville	49 25
Oakville	52 60
Rutherford	54 50
St. Helena	58 55
Calistoga	67 25
Middletown	84 50
Adams Springs	98 50
Siegler Springs	102 00
Kelseyville	116 00
Highland Springs	121 00
Lakeport	129 60
Laurel Dell	142 35
Blue Lakes	143 35
Fort Brown	155 55
Ukiah	168 30

SAN FRANCISCO TO TOCALOMA.

Sausalito	00
San Anselmo	11 90
White's Hill (top)	17 25
San Geronimo	19 25
Lagunitas	22 25
Camp Taylor	24 25
Taylorville	25 50
Tocaloma	27 50

One of the best methods for cleaning a chain is to boil it in a solution composed of common washing soda and water. Let it boil in this for several minutes and then take it out and dry thoroughly. If convenient it should be placed in an oven to dry. Then oil it thoroughly and it will be as clean as when it came from the factory.

The Terminal City Wheelmen, of Stockton will hold a race meet on Sunday, August 28th, and work has already commenced to place the track in first class shape. The events will include a ten-mile county championship, two-mile handicap, one-mile scratch and one-quarter mile dash, the latter three events open to all amateurs. Liberal prizes will be awarded and many entrants from this city, Oakland and San Jose are expected.

The highest bicycle bridge in the world is just out of Spokane, Wash. It is 200 feet long and 112 feet high. It is not quite wide enough for a wagon, and leads onto what is known as the water ditch cycle path. This path is nine miles long and ends at the town of Edison, from whence numerous paths diverge in all directions. The path to American Lake is the most popular, and the scenery is magnificent.

MISCELLANEOUS.

The meeting of the Pacific Coast Trotting Horse Breeders' Association closed at the Emeryville track last Saturday.

The opening of the deer and dove season has temporarily shelved interest in pigeons and blue rocks. Reports from all the happy hunting grounds indicate that there is an unusually abundant supply of both.

Wolfers, three times a national champion, and the conqueror of Johnny Crum and Maybury, has broken down from continual training.

The recent championship tennis tournament at San Rafael, in which Sumner Hardy of this city won the much coveted honor of champion of the Pacific States, brought to the notice of devotees of the game who witnessed the different events the fact that the younger players, of whom there are many, showed up remarkably well, and without exception they all have a brilliant future before them. During the interval between now and the next Fourth of July there are liable to be some surprising developments that will bring forth many a dangerous opponent for the present champion to cope with.

DANIAL TITUS' LARGE ESTATE.

Passes to a Widow, Two Sons, and an Intimate Nephew.

The will of the late Daniel Titus was filed for probate yesterday by Frank F. Titus, executor. The instrument was executed May 23, 1898, and by its provisions an estate valued at $100,000 is passed to four heirs. One-half of the possessions is left to the widow, Emeline Titus, an Arizona ranch is bequeathed to a son, Frank F. Titus; to Fred E. Titus, a second son, and to Louis Titus, a nephew, is left the law library and furniture. A special bequest of $10,000 is made to Fred E. Titus, and the residue of the estate passes to Frank E. Titus, the executor. Included in the property left by deceased, according to the petition, are three houses and lots on Myrtle street, this city, valued at $15,000; also 360 acres of land in Sacramento county, $2,000; 400 acres in Mendocino county, $1,000; 160 acres near Tucson, Arizona, $160; 320 acres near Tempe, Arizona, $10,000; three lots in Fresno, $500; money in bank, $8,000; eight bonds of the Arizona Canal Company, $4,000; two bonds of the Natoma Vineyard Company, $1,000; 500 shares of same, $5,000; ten shares Pacific Coast Loan Association, $1,000; notes and mortgages, $40,000; household furniture, $1,000 library and office furniture, $2,000.

THE EMERIC WILL CONTEST PROGRESSES.

Special letters of administration upon the estate of the late Eugenie Emeric were yesterday granted to Public Administrator A. C. Freese of San Francisco. The Public Administrator applied for special letters upon the ground of unavoidable delay in the granting of general letters, because of an opposition to the probate to the will of the deceased. Miss Louisa Myrtle Barbier, a sister of Mrs. Emeric, also applied for special letters of administration, but the court held that owing to the serious conflict of interest between the surviving husband of decedent, Harry F. Emeric, and Mrs. Barbier, an impartial person should be appointed, and Administrator Freese was granted the power of administrator.

JUDGE CRANE'S ESTATE PASSES DOWN TO HEIRS.

Ellen L. Crane yesterday filed petition for the probate of the will of her late husband, Judge Henry F. Crane. The property is valued at $25,000, and consists of real and personal property in this county. The heirs are the widow, a son and a daughter, named W. W. Crane and Mary E. Crane respectively.

Committee to Meet.

City Attorney Dow, City Engineer Clement and Councilmen Heitmann, Brosnahan and Cuvellier, the committee appointed by the City Council to confer with the Lake Merritt Sanitary Improvement Club in regard to the improvement of the sanitary condition of the lake district, will meet with a committee from the club at the residence of A. Schilling at 8 o'clock this evening.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

FLOUR AND MILLSTUFFS.

FLOUR—Family extras, $4.05@4.75; bakers' extras, $4.40@4.50 per bbl.

MILLSTUFFS—Prices in sacks are as follows, usual discount to the trade: Graham flour, $3.25 per 100 lbs; rye flour, $2.75 per 100; rice flour, $7; cornmeal, $2.50; extra cream cornmeal, $3.25; oatmeal, $4.25; oat groats, $4.25; hominy, $3.25@3.50; buckwheat flour, $4@4.25; cracked wheat, $3.75; farina, $4.50; whole wheat flour, $3.25; rolled oats (barrels), $5.80@6.20; in sacks, $5.60@6; pearl barley, $4.75; split peas, $4.25; green peas, $4.50 per 100 lbs.

HAY AND FEEDSTUFFS.

MIDDLINGS—$20@22 per ton.

FEEDSTUFFS—Rolled barley, $23; oilcake at the mill, $31@31.50; jobbing, $32@32.50; cocoanut cake, $24@25; cottonseed meal, $28@30 per ton; cornmeal, $23@23.50; cracked corn, $24@24.50.

BRAN—$15.50@16.50 per ton.

HAY—Wheat and oat, $16.50@18; oat, $17@18; barley, ——; compressed wheat, $21@24; compressed oat, $16@18; alfalfa, $12.50@13; clover, $13@14.50.

NEW HAY—Wheat, $18.50@19; island barley, $14@16.

STRAW—60@90c per bale.

BEANS AND SEEDS.

BEANS—Bayos, $2.90@2.95; small whites, $1.80@1.90; large whites, $1.75@1.85; pinks, $2.60@2.70; reds, $2.75@2.85; blackeye, $3@3.25; butters, $1.60@2; limas, $2.80@2.90; pea, $1.90@2; red kidneys, $2.50@2.75 per ctl.

SEEDS—Brown mustard, $4@5 per ctl; yellow mustard, $4.50@5; flax, $2@2.15; canary seed, 2¼@2¾c per lb; alfalfa, 30@50c; rape, 2¼@2½c; hemp, 2¾@3c; timothy, 5@5½c.

DRIED PEAS—Niles, $1.75@2; green, $2@2.10 per ctl.

POTATOES, ONIONS, VEGETABLES.

POTATOES—Salinas burbanks, 75@85c; new potatoes, 50@70c for early rose and 50@65c for burbanks in sacks.

ONIONS—New, 25@50c per sack for red and 35c for yellow.

VEGETABLES—Green peas, 2c per lb; string beans, 2@5c; summer squash, 25@40c box; dried peppers, 5@6c lb; dried okra, 12½c; cabbage, 50@60c per ctl; carrots, 30@50c per sack; garlic, 5c per lb; cucumbers, 50@85c per box; Vacaville tomatoes, 50@75c per box.

EVAPORATED VEGETABLES—Potatoes, sliced, raw, 12c per lb in lots of 25 lbs; sliced dessicated, 16@18c; granulated raw, 13c; onions, 60c; carrots, old, 13c; new, 13c; cabbage, 30c; sweet potatoes, 80c; turnips, 25c; string beans, 30c; tomatoes, 50c.

POULTRY AND GAME.

POULTRY—Live turkeys, 13@14c for gobblers and 12@13c for hens; geese, per pair, 75c@$1; goslings, 75c@$1; ducks, $2.75@3 for old, $3@5 for young; hens, $3.50@5; roosters, young, $6@7; roosters, old, $3.50@5; fryers, $5@5.50; broilers, $3.50@4 for large and $2@3 for small; pigeons, $1.25@1.75 per dozen for young and $1.25@1.50 for old.

GAME—Nominal.

BUTTER, CHEESE AND EGGS.

BUTTER—Creamery—Fancy creameries, 20@21c; seconds, 18@19c.

Dairy—Choice to fancy, 17@18c; second grades, 15c.

Eastern Butter—Ladle packed, 14@15c per lb.

CHEESE—Choice mild new, 8c; Cream Cheddar, 10@11c; Young America, 8@9c; Eastern, 12@13c per lb.

EGGS—Ranch eggs, 16@18c per dozen; store eggs, 12@14c; duck eggs, 16c.

DECIDUOUS AND CITRUS FRUITS.

DECIDUOUS FRUITS—Strawberries, $2@4 per chest for large and $5@6 for small berries; apples, 40@50c per box for common, 75c@$1 for good to choice and 20@40c basket; Royal Anne, 40@50c box; currants, $2@3.50 chest; blackberries, $3@4 crate; plums, 40@75c per crate and 30@50c per box; apricots, 40@75c per box and 50@65c per crate for royals; peaches, 25@75c per box and 60@90c per basket; gooseberries, 1@2c per lb for common and 3½@4c for English.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navel oranges, $1.50@2.50; seedlings, 50c@$1; lemons, $1@1.25 for common and $1.25@2 for good to choice; Mexican limes, $3.50@4; California limes, in small boxes, 40@50c; bananas, $1.25@2 per bunch; pineapples, $3@4 per dozen.

PROVISIONS.

CURED MEATS—Bacon—8c per lb for heavy, 9½c for light medium, 10c for light, 11c for extra light and 12@12½c for sugar cured; Eastern sugar cured hams, 10½@11c; California hams, 9½@10c; mess beef, $10.50 per bbl; extra mess beef, $11; family beef, $11@12; salt pork, $9; extra prime pork, $10; extra clear, $17@17.50; mess, $15; smoked beef, 12c per lb.

LARD—Eastern tierces quoted at 6c per lb for compound and 8c for pure; pail, 5¾c; California tierces, 5½c per lb for compound and 7½c for pure; half barrels, 7¼c; 10 lb tins, 8¼c; 5 lb tins, 8¾c.

COTTOLENE—Tierces, 6⅞@7½c packages, less than 300 lbs—1 lb pails, 60 in a case, 9½c; 3 lb pails, 20 in a case, 8⅝c; 5 lb pails, 12 in a case, 8½c; 10 lb pails, 6 in a case, 8⅜c; 50 lb tins, 1 or 2 in a case, 7⅝c; wooden buckets, 20 lbs net, 8½c; fancy tubs, 80 lbs net, 7⅝c; half barrels, about 110 lbs, 7⅜c per lb.

SAN FRANCISCO MEAT MARKET.

BEEF—First quality, 6½c; second quality, 5½@6c; third quality, 4½@5½c per lb.

VEAL—Large, 4@5c; small, 6@7c per lb.

MUTTON—Wethers, 7½@8c; ewes, 7@7½c per lb.

LAMB—Spring, 8@8½c per lb.

PORK—Live hogs, 4½@5c for large and 5@5½c for medium; stock hogs, 2@3½c; dressed hogs, 7@8c.

GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

BAGS—Calcutta grain bags, 5@5½c; wool bags, nominal; San Quentin, $4.85.

COAL—Wellington, $8 per ton; new Wellington, $8; Southfield Wellington, $7.50; Seattle, $6; Bryant, $6; Coos Bay, $5; Wallsend, $7.50; Scotch, $10; Cumberland, $10.25 in bulk and $11.50 in sacks; Pennsylvania anthracite egg, $14; Cannel, $10 per ton; Rock Springs, Castle Gate and Pleasant Valley, $7.50; coke, $12 per ton in bulk and $14 in sacks.

SUGAR—The Western Sugar Refinery fine crushed, 7c; powdered, 6½c; dry granulated, 5⅞c; confectioners' A, 5⅞c; magnolia A, 5½c; extra C, 5⅛c; golden C, 5¼c per lb; half bbls ⅛c more than bbls, candy granulated, 6c; California A, 5⅜c; and boxes ⅛c more.

DRIED FRUITS, NUTS, RAISINS, ETC.

RAISINS—2@2½c for two crown, 3c for three crown, 3½c for four crown, 4½c for seedless sultanas, 2⅜c for seedless muscatels and $1@1.25 for London layers; dried grapes, 2½c.

DRIED FRUITS—Prunes, carload lots, 4⅝@5c for 40-50's, 4½@4½c for 50-60's, 3¾@4c for 60-70's, 2½@3c for 70-80's; 2@2½c for 80-90's, 1¾@2c for 90-100's; peaches, 3@5c; fancy, 5½@6c; peeled, 10@12½c; apricots, 5@6½c for royals and 7@8c for good to fancy moorparks; evaporated apples, 7½@8c; sun-dried, 4½@5c; black figs in sacks, 2@2½c; plums, 4½@4¾c for pitted and 1¼@1½c for unpitted; bleached plums, 5@5½c; nectarines, 4@5c for prime to fancy; pears, 2½@4½c for quarters and 3@5½c for halves, according to color, etc.

NUTS—Chestnuts, 8c per lb; walnuts, 8@9c for hardshell, 6@7c for softshell; almonds, 8@9c for hardshell, 6@7c for softshell and 8½@9c for paper-shell; peanuts, 4@5½c for hardshell, 4@6c for softshell; pecans, 6½@8c; filberts, 9½@10c; Brazil nuts, 8@9c per lb; cocoanuts, $4.50@5 per 100.

HONEY—Comb, 9@10c for bright and 6@7c for lower grades; water white extracted, 5½@6c; light amber extracted, 4¾@5½c per lb.

BEESWAX—24@26c per lb.

HIDES, TALLOW, WOOL AND HOPS.

HIDES AND SKINS—Heavy salted steers, 10@11c; medium, 9½@10c; light, 8@9c; dry calf, 18@20c; culls, 16@17c; and brands, 13@13½c; dry kip and veal, deerskins, good summer, 25@30c per lb; goatskins, 30@37½c each; kids, 5@10c; medium, 20c; winter, 10c; sheepskins, shearings, 20@30c each; short wool, 40@70c each; medium, 60@80c; long wools, 90c@$1.20 each.

TALLOW—No. 1 rendered, 3½@3¾c lb; No. 2, 2@2½c; refined, 4½@4¾c; grease, 2c.

WOOL—Fall clip—San Joaquin, defective, 7@10; southern mountain, 9@11; free northern, 12@14c; Eastern Oregon, 10@12c; Valley Oregon, 15@17c.

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The Whole Estate is Valued at More Than Fifty Thousand Dollars.

The will of the late Senator Eli S. Denison was filed for probate to-day by Celia M. Denison, the surviving widow. The instrument is dated October 15, 1890, and bequeaths the entire estate, valued at $50,000, to the widow, Celia M. Denison, and to three devisees—Harry Denison, residing in this city, Joseph L. Denison, residing at Sacramento, and Sophia D. Ostrander, who died prior to the death of the testator. The two daughters, Olive and Lurana Denison are not remembered because of property already deeded to them by their father. But the father requests the surviving mother to leave the entire estate to them at her death.

The accompanying petition describes the property as consisting of stocks, promissory notes, bonds, personal effects, and real estate, of the approximate value of $50,000, but before an appraisement is made the exact value will not be known, for it is believed to far exceed this sum. One of the provisions names the petitioner as executrix of the will and releases her from any bond.

The will is in writing, witnessed by Rhodes Borden of San Francisco and Fred L. Button of this city. Following is the exact text:

"I, Eli S. Denison, of the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, do

"First—Bequeath unto each of my two brothers, Harry Denison, of Oakland, Calif., and Joseph L. Denison, of Sacramento, Calif, and also unto my sister, Sophia D. Ostrander, of Oakland, Calif., the sums of $1,000.

"Secondly, I do give, devise and bequeath the whole value of f grlokkk queath the whole residue of my estate, both real and personal, unto my beloved wife, Celia M. Denison; and I do request that she manage the said estate carefully, using only so much thereof as may be required for the comfortable maintenance of herself and children, and that at her decease she leave the residue of said property to our two daughters, Olive and Lurana, and to my stepson, Harvey Sloper, share and share alike.

"Thereby I do regret that my executrix hereinafter named, as soon as can be done without sacrifice, convert into money sufficient of my estate to pay the expenses of my funeral and last sickness and also the legacies hereinbefore mentioned.

"Fourthly, I hereby give unto my executrix hereinafter named full power to sell, lease, exchange, mortgage, hypothecate any or all of my property at any time, without order of any court or judge and as to her alone may seem best, giving her full power to manage the said property as I myself might or could do, were I living; and I do request that the court having jurisdiction may confirm any and all acts done by said executrix in this behalf.

"Fifthly I make no direct provision herein for my two daughters because I have already made provision for them by deeds from myself to each of them.

"I lastly nominate my beloved wife Celia Denison to serve as my executrix without giving any bonds."

Eli S. Denison died July 7, 1898 in this city at the age of 61 years.

RED CROSS WILL EXTEND ITS WORK.

Hospital Ship to be Bought by Contributions in the West.

The local Red Cross Society has taken the initial steps towards providing a hospital ship on the Pacific Coast. An appeal for contributions will be made in all States west of the Mississippi. The ship will be purchased and then fitted out at Government expense.

Colonel Park Henshaw of the Eighth Regiment has communicated with the Red Cross relative to the issuance of passes permitting the ladies to enter the lines. It is desired that the president and the chairman of each committee be given passes.

Oakland's soldiers at Camp Barrett have been provided with a mess tent by the local Society which has also appropriated $500 for the First Battalion, Heavy Artillery, Cal. U. S. V., as an emergency fund when the Battalion leaves for Manila. The money will be placed in the hands of Major Rice.

The hospital committee has issued a call for contributions of milk, eggs, and beef broth.

Mrs. Van Pelt has reported to the Society the receipt of $439 from Eastern States for mess tents at Camp Merritt. The Seventh California Regiment has received a mess tent as the gift of U. S. Grant, Jr.

Mrs. Lerding and Mrs. Merchant have supplied Co. M of San Jose now stationed at Camp Barrett with 108 handkerchiefs. Co. I of Grass Valley was also supplied by Mrs. Merchant with handkerchiefs.

At the last meeting of the Red Cross Society, a vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. C. B. Dick for her work at headquarters. Hugh Craig was also given a vote of thanks for his successful efforts in having the soldiers at Camp Merritt removed to the Presidio.

DENIES STORIES OF ALASKAN GOLD.

Letter From an Oaklander Says the Boom is False.

A letter, dated May 22d, from Gus Burg, a resident of Oakland, who is now in Alaska, does not give the usual high praise of that country. He says that most of the stories published in the newspapers about rich strikes in the Minook district are a tissue of lies which the transportation companies are having told to increase their own business. He says: "There are twenty-one creeks around Minook or Rampart City, and there are only five claims on Little Minook creek that any gold has been taken from. It is declared the gold will not amount to $5,000, and all the gold taken out has been in honeycomb. No wash gold has been found. The steamship companies are booming the place for all it is worth, and are showing nuggets weighing fourteen ounces (taken from their safes at St. Michaels), alleged to have come from this district. The companies have sent out several men to boom the place, and that is the way it is heard of. Work is scarce and hard to get, and provisions are dear, flour being $5 a sack."

Mr. Burg goes on to say that people are leaving the country as fast as they can, and that they find it hard to get a chance to work their way to St. Michaels. People are selling their provisions in Dawson and leaving in small boats for St. Michaels at the rate of about 200 a day. He says Dawson City is overcrowded and full of sickness, that there are only twenty-one claims in that region that have paid, and that many of these claims have been shut down by the Canadian authorities because the owners refused to pay the heavy royalty. The letter concludes by warning his friends not to believe in the rosy hued stories of Alaska and not to go to a country so full of famine and misery and so barren of gold.

SHORT SESSION OF THE BOARD OF WORKS.

No Changes Are Made in the Heads of the City Departments

No changes were made in the heads of departments of the city at the meeting of the Board of Public Works today, though there was a large-sized lobby present expecting to hear the fall of the ax. All the members were in attendance, but little business was transacted.

J. M. Shay, the contractor for the new West Oakland engine house, reported to the Board that G. C. Marshall, the man who bought the old house and contracted to remove same before July 17th, had failed to remove the foundations. Shay said he had been delayed three days already and asked that some action be taken in the matter. Marshall's bondsmen will be notified at once, and Marshall will be given an opportunity to explain why he has exceeded the time allowed him.

The Board adjourned until Friday morning.

BELIEVES PARDEE WILL WIN THE FIGHT.

Elmhurst Review Declares the Doctor is the Man For Governor.

The Elmhurst Review contains the following editorial:

"If the "grand old party" of this State expect to remove the Democratic "good luck" horse-shoe which has hung over the chief executive chair so well in recent years, it is time they should become awakened to the fact that they must make sure of a candidate who can not only stand upon the platform of the party which he represents, but who will also rise a step higher and with outstretched hands to assist the people regardless of party. The question of vital importance which will be asked at the coming election is "What has he done for the people?" and "What he has done for the party" will be considered but as a side issue, which Mr. Davis and everyone else should understand, and that George C. Pardee is therefore the best candidate and the only candidate that could hope for votes from a large number of followers of the other parties besides Republicans."

LIZZIE A. CLARK SECURES A DIVORCE.

Judge Hall today handed down a decree of divorce in the suit instituted by Lizzie A. Clark against James A. Clark. The ground of action was habitual intemperance. The custody of the minor child, Violet May Clark, is given to the plaintiff, and $10 a month alimony is awarded for the child's support.

Mortuary.

Nancy Cole, aged 73 years, a native of Ireland, died at 1016 Kirkham street yesterday at 11 P. M. Interment will take place at Holy Cross Cemetery, San Francisco.

Christopher Streitberger, a native of Germany, aged 73 years, for nineteen years a resident of Oakland, died yesterday at East Bay Sanitarium. The funeral will take place from Evers' undertaking parlors Friday at 2 P. M.

Mrs. Juliet M. Flynn, a native of Ohio, aged 54 years, died at 1315 Eleventh street, this city, on Monday.

Robert Perigo, son of Oliver Perigo of the Postoffice Department, aged 18 years, died at Auburn this morning.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

George E. Openshaw, San Francisco	25
Olivia Carlquist, San Francisco	22
Frank C. Arthur, Oakland	35
Frankie M. Hunt, Oakland	23
Edward E. Spawr, San Francisco	29
Emily G. Grant, San Francisco	26
John F. Kick, Oakland	26
Alice B. Markley, Oakland	19
John P. Elliott, San Francisco	31
Mary Hewey, San Francisco	24

Prince of Wales Better.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, July 20.—A bulletin posted at Marlborough house this morning announced that the Prince of Wales passed a good night and is making satisfactory progress toward recovery.

UNIT RULE IS SAID TO BE ILLEGAL.

Chairman Fletter is Back From the East.

Congressional Committee Meeting May Be Delayed.

F. J. Fletter, chairman of the Republican County Central Committee returned from the East and will at an early day call the committee together. He will decide upon a date immediately after the State Committee, which meets next Saturday, shall have taken the initatory steps for the State Convention.

Nothing has been done lately regarding the method of electing the delegates to the State Convention. The plan of calling a county convention to elect delegates to a State Convention, has, it is understood, been abandoned, as it is said to be directly opposed to the law of the Republican party and also to the ideas of both W. R. Davis and Dr. Pardee.

At the last State Convention to which W. R. Davis and Dr. Pardee were delegates a resolution was unanimously passed forbidding the election of delegates to state conventions by any other method than by a direct vote of Republicans at a primary. This, it is said, settles the matter as the result has not been repealed and is still in force and effect.

It is not known whether the State Committee will order the County Committee to call primaries by wards and townships or by assembly districts, but it is likely that the matter will be left to the judgment of the County Committee.

An attempt was made some time ago to induce the County Committee to order a county convention for State delegates, but it was abandoned when some of the members stated that neither Davis nor Pardee would countenance any such proposition after their action at the last State convention.

The meeting of the Third District Congressional Committee that was set for July 25th, may not be held until a later date, as some of the members are not in town and there is some objection to taking action until Mr. Hilborn arrives.

EDITORS BOUND FOR THE COAST.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, July 20.—A train of a dozen Pullmans will carry several hundred editors out of Chicago tonight. They are the members of the Michigan Press Association, who are enjoying an outing to the Pacific Coast by way of St. Paul, and Winnipeg to Vancouver, B. C. At Waukegan the party will be joined by the members of the Wisconsin Press Associaton.

IN THE COURTS TODAY

The Renters' Co-Operative Investment Company has sued Alonzo E. Dunham and Mrs. Jessie F. Dunham to foreclose a $10,000 mortgage on Piedmont property.

Catherine Brennan has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Catherine Brown, deceased, who left property valued at $10,897. A will was made by deceased which is in the custody of B. McFadden.

Notice of motion to dissolve injunction granted in the action of James E. Damon, Charles H. Jackson and S. T. Hubbell against Frederick Ball, J. M. Lewis, I. F. Chapman and C. B. White, was filed today.

E. G. Simon of Alameda has filed answer to the divorce complaint of his wife, Nancy B. Simon, in which he denies every allegation therein contained and demands judgment for costs.

A MIDDLE-AGED MAN WINS A YOUNG BRIDE.

That love knows no difference in age or rank was exemplified yesterday when Adolph Tilness secured a license to wed Gertrude Henderson. The bride is a pretty 18-year-old girl, and the groom is thirty years her senior, but a man who is still in the prime of life, apparently.

Harrison Street Bridge Work.

The Harrison street drawbridge is almost finished and as soon as the tracks are changed from narrow to broad gauge on Webster street, traffic will commence across the new span. Two months more will see the work completed and the Webster street and Alice street bridges abandoned. The vacant space between Second and Webster street will be made into a public park.

Ed Chase Frozen.

Ed Chase, a former Alameda baker, has had his two arms frozen in Alaska where he is now prospecting. His arms were amputated. Chase at one time was worth $200,000 but soon lost his fortune and when he went north two months ago took only $150 with him.

Davis Club Meeting.

The regular weekly meeting of the Davis Second Ward Republican Club will be held tonight in Milton Hall, Twenty-eighth street and San Pablo avenue. As there are nearly 300 on the club roll, a large attendance is expected.

Hotel Windsor.

A modern home hotel, beautifully furnished, near to train; dining room in connection. Rates reasonable to permanent guests. Mrs. Pritchard, prop., S. W. corner Wash. and Ninth sts.

LIGHTNING'S BLAZING BOLT DEALS DEATH.

It Kills Five Men and Paralyzes Three Others.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, July 20.—New Jersey and part of New York were swept last night by a storm which caused great destruction to life and property. Four men were struck by lightning and instantly killed, and five others were badly injured while seeking shelter from the storm under a tree near Boonton, N. J.

The dead, all of Boonton, were:
JAMES QUICK, 27 years old.
JOHN RISSCHYNSKY, 20 years old.
CLARENCE TODD, 14 years old.
JOHN VALENTINE, 30 years old.

Injured:
John Bott of Boonton, hurt internally, not expected to live.
Louis Todd, Boonton, burned and paralyzed.
John Quick, Boonton, paralyzed.
John Sweeney, Boonton, paralyzed.

The men had been fishing from the bank of Beaver pond, three miles from Boonton.

When the storm broke at 3 o'clock, the men sought shelter under a large tree near the pond. The storm raged with frightful fury. The flashes of lightning were terrific. When the storm was over passers-by discovered the forms of nine men lying on the ground. Five of them were unconscious. The other four were dead. Assistance was summoned and the injured cared for.

VERMONT DEMOCRATS NAME STATE TICKET.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BURLINGTON, Vermont, July 20.—The Democratic State Convention was held here today, and the following ticket was nominated:

Governor, Thomas [illegible]ley.
Lieutenant Governor, [illegible] Olmstead.
Treasurer, L. W. Clough.
Secretary of State, George O. Davies.
Auditor, Richard D. Preble.

The resolutions adopted endorsed the platform of the Chicago Convention of 1896 and a tariff for revenue only. Opposition to the "proposed imperialistic policy of the Republican party" and to the admission of the Hawaiian islands to Statehood was declared, and "undiminished admiration of and confidence in William J. Bryan" was expressed.

DR. SUNDERLAND HAS SENT HIS ANSWER.

Telegraphs the Tribune He Will Accept the Call.

E. A. Kleugel, secretary of the Board of Trustees of the First Unitarian Church, has received word from Dr. J. T. Sunderland formally announcing his release by the Ann Arbor church and accepting the Oakland call. He states that he will leave for the coast with his family in time to reach here by August 25th, and will on the first Sunday in September preach his first sermon to his new charge.

Dr. Sunderland, in response to inquiries, has sent the following official telegram to the Tribune:

"Have accepted the call to the First Unitarian Church, Oakland. Shall arrive with my family about August 25th, and begin pastorate September 1st.

"J. T. SUNDERLAND."

Famous British Admiral Dies.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, July 20.—Admiral Thomas Leake Massie, known as the Father of the British navy, is dead. He was born in 1802, entered the navy in 1818, and served at Navarino, Beyrout, Sidon, and St. Jean d'Acre and in China and in the Black Sea.

The Oakland Loan Office.

Loans money on watches, diamonds, jewelry, guns, pistols and articles of every description. Sells all kinds of musical instruments at cost. Pays the highest price for old gold and silver. Now at 966 Washington street, bet. Ninth and Tenth streets.

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The Drum.

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Special Notice.

All articles at H. Schellhaas' old store are selling at about half regular price; bedroom and parlor goods, wool mattresses, in fact household goods of all kinds. 408 Eleventh street, near Franklin. See our goods and prices. Folding beds, lounges, cot beds, camp chairs. Telephone 862 blue.

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JAS. A. WEBSTER
(Formerly County Treasurer)
Announces himself a Candidate
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COUNTY CLERK
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.

W. S. HARLOW
Announces himself a Candidate
—for—
SHERIFF
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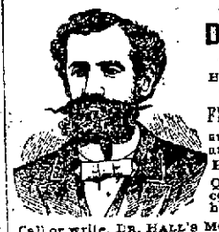

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LEGAL

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

DANIEL HART, Plaintiff, vs. JAMES V. POWERS, ET AL., Defendants. No. 15,001. Dept. 2.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1898, in the above entitled action, wherein Daniel Hart, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against James V. Powers, Ellen A. Powers (his wife) and William Heafey, defendants, on the 22nd day of June, A. D. 1898, for the sum of sixteen hundred dollars ($1,600), in United States gold coin, together with interest, costs and attorney fees, aggregating with said principal the sum of two thousand five hundred and one and 85-100 dollars ($2,501.85); which said judgment and decree were on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1898, recorded in Judgment Book No. 34 of said Court, at page 357, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at the point of intersection of the northerly line of Atlantic street with the westerly line of Willow street and running thence northerly along said westerly line of Willow street fifty (50) feet and seven (7) inches, thence at right angles westerly seventy-five (75) feet, thence at right angles southerly fifty (50) feet and seven (7) inches to the northerly line of Atlantic street, and thence easterly along the northerly line of Atlantic street seventy-five (75) feet to the point of commencement, being lots numbers 25 and 26 in block No. 502 as shown and delineated on the map entitled "Map of the Gibbons Property at Oakland Point," which map is recorded in Liber 1 of Maps, pages 30 and 31, of the records of said Alameda county in the County Recorder's office of said county of Alameda."

Public notice is hereby given that on

THURSDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF JULY, 1898,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, Cal., June 29, 1898.

J. B. LANKTREE,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
METCALF & METCALF, Attorneys for Plaintiffs, 969 Broadway, Oakland, rooms 44-46.

LEGAL

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

WILLIAM G. HENSHAW and WILLIAM J. DINGEE, Plaintiffs, vs. HUGH McGLYNN, Defendant. No. 14,164. Dept. 3.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 23th day of June, A. D. 1898, in the above entitled action, wherein William G. Henshaw and William J. Dingee, the above named plaintiffs, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Hugh McGlynn, defendant, on the 22nd day of June, A. D. 1898, for the sum of four hundred and thirty-seven and 95-00 dollars ($437.95), in United States gold coin, together with interest, costs and attorney fees, aggregating with said principal the sum of seven hundred and fifty-four and 90-100 dollars ($754.90); which said judgment and decree were, on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1898, recorded in Judgment Book No. 36 of said Court, at page 113, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in township of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the northern line of Thirty-eighth street, distant thereon two hundred and forty-two and 50-100 (242.50) feet easterly from the easterly line of West street, and running thence easterly along said line of Thirty-eighth street twenty-six and 50-100 (26.50) feet; thence northerly parallel with West street one hundred and forty-five (145) feet; thence at right angles westerly twenty-six and 50-100 (26.50) feet, and thence at right angles southerly and parallel with West street one hundred and forty-five (145) feet to the point of commencement. Being lot number twenty-four (24) in block "C," as the same are delineated and so designated on a certain map entitled "Map of the Major Given Tract, Oakland Township, Alameda County, Cal., which said map was filed June 11, 1888, in Book No. 10 of Maps, page 26, in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda county. Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

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Oakland, Cal., June 29, 1898.

J. B. LANKTREE,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
METCALF & METCALF, Attorneys for Plaintiffs, 969 Broadway, Oakland.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

WILLIAM G. HENSHAW and WILLIAM J. DINGEE, Plaintiffs, vs. CHARLES MITCHELL ET AL., Defendants. No. 14,165. Dept. 1.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale issued out of the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, of the State of California, on the 25th day of June, A. D. 1898, in the above entitled action, wherein William G. Henshaw and William J. Dingee, the above named plaintiffs, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Charles Mitchell et al., defendants, on the 22nd day of June, A. D. 1898, for the sum of four hundred and thirty dollars ($130), in United States gold coin, together with interest, costs and attorney fees, aggregating with said principal the sum of seven hundred and fifty-nine and 30-100 dollars ($759.30); which said judgment and decree were, on the 24th day of June, A. D. 1898, recorded in Judgment Book No. 34 of said Court, at page 301, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in township of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing at a point on the easterly line of West street, distant thereon one hundred and one and 48-100 (101.48) feet northerly from the northerly line of Thirty-sixth or Logan street, and running thence northerly along said line of West street twenty-five (25) feet; thence at right angles easterly one hundred and nine and 38-100 (109.38) feet; thence at right angles southerly twenty-five (25) feet, and thence at right angles westerly one hundred and nine and 38-100 (109.38) feet to the point of commencement. Being lot number five (5) in block "A" as the same are delineated and so designated on a certain map entitled "Map of the Major Given Tract," Oakland Township, Alameda County, Cal.," filed June 11, 1888, in Book 10 of Maps, page 26, in the County Recorder's office of said Alameda county. Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining.

Public notice is hereby given that on

THURSDAY, THE 21ST DAY OF JULY, A. D. 1898,

At 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, in front of the Broadway entrance of the Court House of the county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to raise sufficient money to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for gold coin of the United States.

Oakland, Cal., June 29, 1898.

J. B. LANKTREE,
A Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.
METCALF & METCALF, Attorneys for Plaintiffs, 969 Broadway, Oakland, rooms 44-46.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Charlotte Miller Van Denburgh, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Charlotte Miller Van Denburgh, deceased, and for the issuance to Sophie Crawford of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the first day of August, A. D. 1898, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 1 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, July 14th, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By F. D. ADAMS, Deputy Clerk.
SAM'L BELL McKEE, Attorney for Petitioner.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of George M. Baker, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administrator of the estate of George M. Baker, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator, at his office, No. 1118 Broadway, Oakland, Calif., which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of George M. Baker, deceased.

WILLIAM H. KNIGHT,
Administrator of the estate of George M. Baker, deceased.
Dated Oakland, July 5th, 1898.
FREDERICK E. WHITNEY, Attorney for Administrator.

LEGAL

Notice to Voters.

REGISTRATION.

Office of the County Clerk of Alameda County, Cal.

Notice is hereby given that all citizens whose names are not now on the Great Register of Alameda county are requested to register in order to be entitled to vote at the next general election in November, 1898.

That owing to failure of the Governor to approve the act unanimously passed by both branches of the last Legislature providing assistance for Clerks it is necessary to begin registration at an early date in order to satisfactorily attend to registration.

That voters who have since the date of the last general election taken up their residence in Alameda county, and those who since that date have removed from precinct in which their name appears on Great Register, must make affidavit in order to have their names placed on Register of precinct in which they now reside.

That it is NOT necessary for voters who registered for the general election of 1896 and whose names appear on the Great Register of 1896 to again make affidavit for registration UNLESS SINCE THE DATE OF LAST REGISTRATION THEY HAVE CHANGED THEIR PLACE OF RESIDENCE.

That registration will continue to and including August 9th, 1898, after which it will cease.

Attention is called to the provisions of Section 1083, which provides that those "who shall have been a resident of the State ONE YEAR next preceding the election, and of the county in which they claim their vote NINETY DAYS, and in the election precinct THIRTY days" are entitled to registration.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavit for registration or transfer may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the county, or before any Deputy County Assessor, without charge.

Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public.

Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits, OTHER THAN FOR THE PURPOSES OF TRANSFER, when names are ENTERED on Great Register, postal cards will be sent giving date of entry. If postal is not received, voters should ascertain the reason why.

The office of the County Clerk in the Hall of Records will be, until further notice, open for registration from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M. of each day.

Dated April 4, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, County Clerk.
(Seal)

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Office of the Piedmont and Mountain View Railway, Oakland, Alameda county, California, July 15th, A. D. 1898.

To the stockholders of the Piedmont and Mountain View Railway, a corporation:

Public notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Piedmont and Mountain View Railway, a corporation, will be held at the office of said corporation, said office being situated on the first floor of the building situated on the northeasterly corner of Twenty-fourth street and Oakland avenue, in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, State of California (the same being the principal place of business of the said corporation, and being the building where the Board of Directors of said corporation usually meet), on Wednesday, the twenty-seventh day of July, A. D. 1898, at the hour of half past two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, said special meeting of the stockholders of said corporation is hereby called to take action concerning the disposition and conveyance of the entire corporate property and franchises belonging to the said corporation; and also to transact such other business of every nature and description as may lawfully come before the said meeting. Said meeting is hereby called upon, and pursuant to, the written request of S. C. Bigelow, John R. Spring, James Moffitt and E. A. Heron, said last named persons being directors of said corporation and constituting a majority of the Board of Directors thereof.

It is hereby directed that public notice of said special meeting of said stockholders shall be published for at least one week in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed and published daily at the said city of Oakland, in the county and State aforesaid. The first publication of said notice in said newspaper shall be at least one week before the day set for the holding of said meeting, and the said notice is hereby directed to be published daily from and after said first publication up to and including the day upon which said meeting is hereby called to be held.

Dated at the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, State of California, this fifteenth day of July, A. D. 1898.

CHAS. R. BISHOP,
President of the Piedmont and Mountain View Railway.
Attest:
(Seal) DANIEL GRANT, Secretary.

Notice to Contractors.

Pursuant to an order of the Board of Trustees of the Bray School District, Fruitvale, Alameda Co., Calif., notice is hereby given that sealed proposals will be received by said Board until 8 o'clock P. M., July 20th, 1898, for furnishing materials and performing the labor necessary for the erection and completion of an eight room school building in said Bray School District.

Separate proposals will be received and separate contracts made for furnishing the materials and performing the labor necessary for each of the following parts of said building, viz:

(1) For masonry work, including all excavating, concrete and cement work.
(2) For carpentry, mill work, plastering and brick work.
(3) For plumbing.
(4) For painting.
(5) For heating and ventilating.

No proposal will be considered unless accompanied with a check equal to 10 per cent of the proposal. Said proposals will be publicly opened July 20th, 1898, at 8 o'clock P. M., at the school room on Fruitvale avenue near Wash street, and contracts based thereon will be entered into as soon thereafter as practicable. The contractors to whom contracts are awarded will be required to file with said Board a good and sufficient bond to an amount to be fixed by the Trustees, for the faithful performance of his contract.

Plans and specifications of said building can be seen at the office of D. F. Oliver, architect, room 69, Macdonough building, Oakland, Cal.

The Board of Trustees reserve the right to reject any or all proposals made.

W. M. ANTELL,
JOHN McARTHUR,
C. E. POWELL,
Trustees Bray School District, Alameda County, Cal.

NOTICE.

NOTICE—All persons are hereby cautioned not to trust any one on account of the Tribune Publishing Company without a written order signed by an officer of this corporation. Any indebtedness incurred without said order will not be recognized.

TRIBUNE PUBLISHING CO.,
By W. E. DARGIE, President.
Oakland, January 1, 1898.

SPANIARDS AT MANILA COUNT ON GERMAN AID.

The Kaiser's Big Fleet a Warning to Yankees.

Our Troops Eager to Resent Insults of Spanish Papers.

REBELLION RAGES IN ALL CHINA.

Germany is Dissatisfied With the Kiao Chou Grab and Italy Helps Her Out.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

VANCOUVER, B. C., July 20.—According to advices brought by the Empress of India from Hong Kong, the chief news of the moment is that Manila is ready to surrender. Not that the Archbishop and Captain General are going to voluntarily capitulate before they are compelled to do so, but that the backbone of resistance is unquestionably broken, and upon a real show of force and intention to bombard the town, if the officials do not give in, the Spaniards will haul down the Spanish flag. Intimations to this effect are received from many sources.

The correspondent of the Hong Kong Press, writing under date of June 23d, says the chief subject of discussion in Manila, in Cavite and in the American fleet is the meaning of the presence of five German men-of-war and one transport or supply vessel in port.

"I have just interviewed a leading Englishman here on the subject. He unhesitatingly informed me that all foreigners in Manila as well as Spaniards regard it as a remarkable demonstration.

"I am sure,' he continued, 'that the Spaniards have received encouragement from such a naval display. A German squadron was construed by him and leading Spanish officials as a direct act of friendly interest and to warn the Yankees that they could not go too far. Now, when a Spaniard of influence, as this man was, will talk like that, I think it is high time to ascertain what the Germans mean by appearing here in such force.

"'I am familiar,' my informant continued, 'with all the German interests in Manila, and my relations with the Germans are very agreeable, and I am positive that one German cruiser would be fully able to protect them to every extent they required.'"

Further details of the great fight of May 1st filter through some high officials of Manila as time passes. It now appears, according to authentic information in the hands of Consul Williams, that out of 493 men on the Reina Christina 364 were killed; only 127 left the ship. An officer who was aboard, and now in prison, says that one could not step a foot in any direction on her decks without coming in contact with pieces of flesh or dead bodies. Such was the power of the American guns and the skill of American gunners.

Manila papers continue to publish monstrous stories about the Americans, and do not hesitate to employ the most contemptuous epithets, all of which are whetting the appetites of the Americans to get even with them for uncalled for insults.

More seizures of arms are reported from Hong Kong. It is suspected that the arms and ammunition were to be shipped to the Philippine insurgents. The seizure consists of half a million rounds of Mauser ammunition, 209 breech-loading Mauser rifles and 312 muzzle-loading Enfield rifles.

An Englishman at Kobe wanted to pass through the customs for shipment to New York 112 Japanese swords, seventy-one spears and seven suits of armor. The customs authorities held a consultation as to whether the articles were not contraband of war.

Not being able to satisfactorily decide the question, they wired to the Government in Tokio for instructions. None had been received when the Empress left, and the local paper sarcastically remarks that probably the Japanese Government is perplexed as well as the customs officials.

Dark reports come from all over China. Everywhere the Chinese are becoming excited over the demands for ports and concessions. Central China, particularly, is restless, and serious rioting has taken place at Ning Po. Two rebellions have broken out in Kwangsi, one in Wachap and another in Lau Chow. The Governor of Kwangsi has sent soldiers to the rebellious districts. Troubles are heard of in Manchuria. Some think the authorities are doing all they can to drive the people into rebellion, or, as some say, into the hands of Russia. Private letters speak in strong language about the doings of the Tsi Li Ti, power sect, something like the Lao-Hui. These people are gathering in bands and defying the petty local authorities. They are strongly anti-foreign.

Reports are circulated that China intends the opening of the island of Changhai Chuen, near Canton, as a treaty port to prevent Germany or any other power from getting it. The island in question is better known at St. Johns. It is situated to the southwest of Maco, between that colony and the new French possession of Kwang Chau.

As indemnity for the Shashi riot, Japan claims from China the right to establish separate battlements at Yuchow, Santo and Foo Chow, and demands also 105,000 taels.

Chin Bok Kwa, a rebel chief of Formosa, was enticed by Japan to surrender under a false sense of security, and then barbarously executed.

When the Empress left Yokohama, July 7th, Prince Cyril Vladimir of Russia was expected to arrive on the Russian warship Russia from Vladivostock. He will proceed without delay to Tuo, to be received in audience by the Emperor.

Official information has been received by the Japanese Government from the Korean Government to the effect that Musanpho and Song-Jin-Phoe, in Korea, will soon be opened as treaty ports. The Japanese Government will dispatch a commissioner to investigate matters in connection with opening the ports. One of the native Chinese papers says Germany, being dissatisfied with Kiao Chou as a naval station, and fearing that it will be injured by the proximity of the English and Russian possessions at Wei Hai Wei, Port Arthur and Talien Wan, has entered into an agreement with Italy. It is proposed that Italy should take over a strip of territory 100 li in length along the coast of Kiao Chau bay from Germany. The proposal having been communicated to the Tsung Li Yamen, that body has appointed a commissioner to proceed to Shan Tung and there determine what the boundaries shall be between the German and Italian possessions.

Rumor has it that the Russian Minister to China has demanded from the Chinese Government the privilege of passing through Chili and Kwansi provinces, and he is said to have proposed to lend troops to China in order to prevent British aggression. In Shanghai it is reported that Russia also intends to demand the lease of Kin Chow in Liao Tung.

A Peking telegram says England has objected to the borrowing of funds from Russia and France for the construction of a railway between Peking and Hankow.

Two important features of a treaty just concluded between Japan and Siam are the retention by Japan in Siam of a Consular jurisdiction and the adoption of a stipulation for deciding by the arbitration of a third party of questions arising out of the interpretation of the provisions of the treaty or any violation of the treaty. The last named feature constitutes Japan's first acceptance of the principle of arbitration in connection with any treaty.

Mr. Otan, president of the Yokohama Tea Dealers' Association, has expressed a strong objection to the imposition of a tea tariff in the United States and is fomenting an agitation to induce the United States Government to impose a similar duty upon coffee.

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TRIAL JURORS AROUSE JUDGE GREENE'S WRATH

Had to be Discharged From Duty a Second Time by the Court.

When Judge Greene discovered that Daniel Brennan, F. H. McDonald, P. J. Quinlan and D. W. McLaughlin, who were excused by the four judges sitting in banc at the conclusion of the O'Neil trial, had been summoned as jurors in the Moffett murder trial he was aroused to some plain talk. Juror Brennan's name was first called. Judge Greene eyed him a moment and asked:

"Is this gentleman one of the four jurors excused by the court sitting in banc?"

"He is," replied the clerk.

"Well," said the Judge, "you can go. We don't want you here at all."

"I have a card here ordering me to be in court at this hour," exclaimed Brennan.

The clerk explained that a mistake had been made and "the four" had been ordered into court.

"Well, we don't want them here," replied the court, "and now let me make it so plain that I can be understood once and for all, that you are here by a mistake. You are excused from further duty, and if in future you should be notified through an error of one of the department clerks, pay no attention to it."

FELONY CHARGE NOW AGAINST BLACKBURN.

A warrant was issued last evening for the arrest of Leslie Blackburn, charging him with assault with a deadly weapon. This is the outcome of the mix-up indulged in by several local politicians recently during which it is alleged Blackburn pulled a revolver on W. H. O'Brien.

The first charge lodged against Blackburn was that he had threatened O'Brien's life, next it was disturbing the peace, then exhibiting a deadly weapon and now assault with a deadly weapon, which is a felony. There is considerable feeling connected with this case, and the developments will be closely watched.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL.

Misses Ida Hodges, Berdie McEnerney, Lulu and Mamie Luchsinger and Jessie Roney have returned to Vallejo after an extended visit in this city.

Bert and Edward Howell have gone to Merced.

Miss Edith Briggs is at Glen Alpine Springs.

Mrs. C. W. Jackson and daughter are visiting at Agua Caliente.

Mrs. B. R. Whitehill is visiting her uncle, J. H. Strowbridge, of Haywards.

Miss Amy Rice, in company Mrs. Captain Bennett, has gone to Portland on a vacation trip.

J. M. Dunning and family have gone to Prescott, A. T.

Dr. W. A. Grover and family, who have been spending the vacation in Pacific Grove, have returned to Berkeley.

Rev. Geo. E. Swan, who is making a bicycle tour through Lake county for his health, was last heard from at Blue Lakes, and he reports a delightful time, which has been of great benefit to him.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Jefferson and family have returned from Dunsmuir.

Mrs. John Isaacs and family of Alice street have returned from Shasta.

Mrs. L. S. Docker has gone to Los Angeles.

Professor and Mrs. F. A. Dressler are at Glenwood.

J. H. Hazel has now gone to Garfield Park, Santa Cruz, after a short visit at Petaluma.

Mrs. B. Scott of Los Gatos is stopping in this city.

At the Vendome, San Jose, are the following Oaklanders: Mrs. A. Sneider, Miss Sneider, Miss Gallegos, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Salazar, Miss F. Banning.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Baker have returned from Ben Lomond.

Miss Jeanie Campbell has returned to Nevada City.

Miss Mary Bacon of Sacramento is the guest of Oakland friends.

Miss Horton has returned from the northern part of the State, where she has been spending the summer and will reopen her school August 1st. New pupils will be received July 29th.

Miss Murdock and daughter Mary are guests of Mrs. Murdock McKenzie of Napa.

William Stewart has been spending a few days in Napa.

Misses Shaw and Florence Canty are spending a few days in Vallejo.

Mrs. Benj. Wright is the guest of Mrs. E. S. Davis of Vallejo.

Miss Katherine D. Longan of Vallejo is spending a fortnight in this city.

Howard and Ina Gerrish have returned to Vallejo after an extended visit in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wooley have returned from the Yosemite.

Mrs. M. Klein and son Milton are at San Rafael.

John H. Fuller, assistant county superintendent, is at Inverness.

Rev. J. K. Harrison has returned from Pescadero.

D. R. Wood is back from Stockton.

Miss Edith Stevenson, U. C. '95, will teach English, French and botany in the Hanford High school.

Charles F. Fletter is back from Smith's ranch at Cloverdale.

W. H. Palmer and family are in Mill Valley.

Sergeant Green has returned from Pescadero.

Miss Galbraith, a teacher of Latin in Oakland High school, has returned from an extended European trip. She resides with Rev. Masters and family at 140 Oxford street, Berkeley.

Mr. and Mrs. William Parkhurst of Claremont will leave next week for Santa Cruz, where they expect to attend the Northern State Baptist convention, which convenes there August 1st to the 8th. Mr. and Mrs. Parkhurst will go all the way by team.

J. M. Sabin Jr. and wife and G. W. Peer and family of East Oakland have returned from a camping trip on the McCloud river.

Mrs. H. Cordan and daughter, Miss Minnie, of East Oakland, and Miss Fitzgerald of Oakland have been guests of Mrs. J. H. Walters for the past few days.

Mrs. Edith Bruen of Portland, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs Jones of Berkeley, will return this week. She will be accompanied by her brother, Elliott Jones, who is to accept a position with the Blake—McFoul Company.

Mrs. S. Nourse and Harry, Charles, Grace and Clarence Nourse of East Oakland, who have been camping at Boulder Creek for the past six weeks, will return the latter part of next week.

Mrs. J. F. Vane and Alice, Vivian, and C. D. Vane, who have been camping in the Santa Cruz Mountains for the past five weeks, will return to their home in East Oakland in a few days. Miss Bertha Hamilton also from East Oakland has been camping with the Vanes.

John Hammond, Mrs. George Wells, Miss Oge, Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Kochland, S. Sachs, R. G. Brown, Fred Zelle, Miss A. E. Davenport, Miss G. Harvey, Robert Grayson, A. St. John Bowie, E. F. Sheldon, N. M. Muenster, W. L. Roberts, William and Joseph Ehrman and Miss Burnell of Berkeley are at Del Monte.

Alfred H. Dutton, on the art staff of the Salt Lake Herald, has returned to Oakland to visit his father, J. W. Dutton, and friends.

Mrs. L. R. Washburn and daughter, Miss Marion, returned from Los Angeles this morning, where they have been visiting friends for the past two months.

THE ANTI-CIVIL SERVICE LEAGUE.

Alameda County is Represented on the State Executive Committee.

The president of the Anti-Civil Service League has appointed a State executive committee. Its first meeting will be held in San Francisco on August 1st. Headquarters for the league will be established in that city about the 15th of the same month. The Alameda county members of the committee are O. P. Culver, J. F. Teague, C. A. Carleton and J. W. Osborne.

W. S. O'Brien, C. A. Carleton and D. M. Briggs of Alameda county are members of the committee appointed to attend the session of the Republican State Convention and present resolutions on behalf of the league.

Bill Distributors Convene.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, July 20.—The International Association of Distributors is holding its annual convention in this city. The meeting will last three days. The organization is composed of men who distribute bills, circulars, dodgers and street advertising. There are over sixty members present, representing nearly all the principal cities in the United States. Questions of prices and character of distribution are before the convention.

WORK CUT OUT FOR GEN. MILES IN PORTO RICO.

The Entire Island is to Come Under His Control.

Capture of San Juan Will Fall Mainly on the Navy.

IMPREGNABLE FROM LAND SIDE.

Unlike Cuba, the Climate is Very Healthful and Food is Abundant.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, July 20.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says:

While the details of General Miles' plan of operations in Porto Rico are not divulged, it is known that they are wholly unlike those necessitated by the peculiar conditions at Santiago. Instead of having a single city as an objective, General Miles has to secure control of an entire island and occupy a number of cities, establishing a system of thorough and effective government in all its districts.

The chief city of San Juan can only be taken by the navy in co-operation with a large force ashore, as it is practically impregnable on its land side, except by tedious siege with heavy artillery.

The island is, in round numbers, a hundred miles long and forty miles wide, and even its unhealthiest coast ports are seldom visited by yellow fever.

Most of the Spanish troops in Porto Rico are gathered at San Juan, and it is General Miles' intention to land at least thirty-eight miles from that stronghold and occupy other important places, while the heavy double-turreted monitors and other armored vessels of the navy destroys San Juan's fortifications and compel its surrender by bombarding, if necessary.

If the navy part is completed as speedily as scheduled in the programme approved by the War Board and other authorities here, that city will be ready for General Brooke's occupation almost by the time that he can reach there.

General Miles' advance force consists of three regiments of volunteer infantry of General Garretson's brigade. The Sixth Illinois, the Sixth Massachusetts, and Light Batteries C and M of the Seventh Artillery, which started from Tampa several days ago, are to meet him off Mole St. Nicholas. These batteries are the first in the American army to be equipped exclusively with smokeless powder, and were selected by the commanding General on this account. General Miles does not expect to be dependent upon subsistence stores forwarded from this country during his campaign, as was the case with the army before Santiago. Porto Rico has not been devastated by the Spaniards, and it is believed that American gold will buy all the food that is necessary for the troops. Fresh meat will probably be found in as great abundance as it is in most States of the Union, and altogether, no difficulty is anticipated in living on the country. The towns to be captured outside of San Juan are small, with two exceptions—Ponce and Mayaguez. The former is the most modern and thoroughly progressive city in the West Indies. It has 15,000 inhabitants, and is said to be the healthiest place in the island. It also contains the only Protestant church in the Spanish Antilles, and in addition to its three first-class hotels, a Chamber of Commerce, a theater, and a bank, possesses a perfectly-equipped American fire department. The residence of the military commander is there, and its population is almost altogether engaged in mercantile pursuits. Its harbor, two miles distant, admits vessels of twenty-five feet draft, and its climate, though warm, is never oppressive. Yellow fever has never been known there.

Mayaguez, the third city in importance, faces Mona channel on the western sides of Porto Rico. It has 20,000 population, the majority white, and its exports are chiefly coffee and sugar. Its climate is excellent, the temperature never exceeding 90 degrees. The city is connected by railway with Aguadillo, in the northwest of the island, and another railroad runs to Lares, half way toward Arecibo, which is on the north coast, fifty miles west of San Juan, with which it is connected by rail. Mayaguez will probably be the first town occupied by General Miles.

New Bonds at a Premium.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, July 20.—The Times says While the Government bond market was quiet today (Tuesday) there was a lively inquiry for the new Government 3 per cents, "when issued," and a disposition was evident to change old issues for the new bonds. The quotations that ruled were about 102¾ bid, 103 asked. These however, were regarded as tentative and to induce holders of the popular denominations of $500 and under to surrender their allotments, the impression being that when the new bonds are in existence the prices will range between 104 and 106.

Zimmerman & Forshay, the bankers and bullion dealers, offer to buy at the bid price and to sell at the asked. In some quarters the quotations were the basis of speculative transactions, as is always the case, pending issue of stocks and bonds. Some of the inquiry for the new bonds was traced to interests associated with the banks anxious to secure them for circulation purposes.

BISHOPS OPPOSE ARMY CANTEEN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, July 20.—The Northwestern Christian Advocate published today opinions of the Methodist Bishops regarding the army canteen. They all plead for the abolition of the canteens.

EXAMINATION OF SCHAEFFER CONTINUED.

The preliminary hearing of Alonzo Schaeffer, charged with assault to murder J. J. Hurt, was postponed in the Police Court yesterday, owing to the absence of the principal witness, Charles White, the Deputy Sheriff killed in yesterday's explosion. It is barely possible that the case will fall owing to Mr. White's death.

"I did not threaten to kill Schaeffer. I don't want to go to hell for killing such a thing," said Joel Hurt in the Police Court during the trial of Alphonsa Schaeffer for assault to murder Hurt, whose present suit to recover the custody of his children created such a sensation. Schaeffer married Hurt's divorced wife and brought her and the Hurt children to California. The husband recently instituted habeas corpus proceedings to recover the custody of the children, and it was during the trial of the case that Schaeffer is alleged to have drawn a gun on Hurt.

Hurt testified that, on July 5th, he was in the Sheriff's office at the Court House when his attention was attracted by a noise behind him. Turning he saw defendant Schaeffer, with a "shooting iron" in his right hand, tussling with Deputy Sheriff Charles White who had the defendant by the throat and wrist of the hand in which he held his gun which was pointed at his (Hurt's) body. Hurt understood Schaeffer to say, "I know him," whereupon White said, "None of that here," and pushed defendant out of the door.

Hurt said he had never had trouble with defendant, that he did not know him except by sight. He had had no business with him previous to this time and did not know the man who created the disturbance was Schaeffer until sometime afterward.

During cross-examination Hurt said he was armed at the time, upon the advice of his attorneys as they had been told that Schaeffer had said he would have killed him a few days before but for his children.

"Did you not threaten to kill Schaeffer while you were in Wyoming?" asked Woolner. "No sir," said Hurt, "I do not know him except as a tin horn gambler and a thief and such people are not recognized in my country. I don't want to go to hell for killing such a thing as that." Hurt said he had told his daughter Josie while in Denver that if the defendant ever whipped or misused her he would kill him. He had had no trouble with defendant in Casper Wyoming over the laying of a sidewalk. He acknowledged that he had once killed a man and would do it again under the same condition. At the conclusion of the taking of Hurt's testimony he asked to be excused as it was his desire to go East that night. Attorney Woolner objected as they might need him before the case was finished. Judge Allen excused Hurt from further attendance upon the examination.

Hurt was in an unenviable frame of mind and he was frequently admonished by Judge Allen, who advised the irate ex-husband that he would not be allowed to comment upon the character of his successor.

The general impression was that he had injured the chances of securing Schaeffer's conviction. It is understood that the defendant will try to prove that Hurt had threatened to kill Schaeffer and that the latter was acting in self-defense when he drew his revolver.

GREAT PROGRESS OF THE VALLEY ROAD.

Already Earns Enough to Make Payment of Dividends Possible.

The third annual meeting of the San Joaquin Valley road was held yesterday. The reports were very encouraging and enough money has been made to pay a dividend, but the surplus money will be used for betterments.

The old Board of Directors was re-elected as follows: Claus Spreckels, J. A. Hooper, Thomas Magee, Isaac Upham, Alvinza Hayward, Leon Sloss, Charles Holbrook, Captain A. H. Payson, Robert Watt, J. B. Stetson and John D. Spreckels, and later in the afternoon they re-elected their old officers.

First Vice-President Robert Watt presided at a subsequent joint meeting of the trustees and directors to hear reports relative to the financial traffic and construction affairs of the company. Few details of the reports were made public. The financial affairs of the road are in a most excellent condition, and enough money will be received from the sale of the company's bonds to build the extension from Stockton west to Point Richmond and to construct two steel passenger and freight ferry boats for the ferry system between the foot of Market street and Point Richmond. Contracts for the two ferry boats are to be given to one of the local ship-building firms within the next two or three months. They will be modern in every respect and are to have a high rate of speed. The company will not undertake the building of extensive wheat warehouses at Point Richmond. An independent corporation will take charge of that work and ultimately make Point Richmond a strong rival of Port Costa.

A report by Chief Engineer Storey was read, which in part referred to heavy work now being pushed on twenty-two miles of the proposed extension west of Stockton to Point Richmond. Work on boring a tunnel 5,700 feet long through the Contra Costa hills is going on night and day and an embankment seven miles long and twelve feet high is being thrown up by dredgers across the tules immediately to the west of Stockton.

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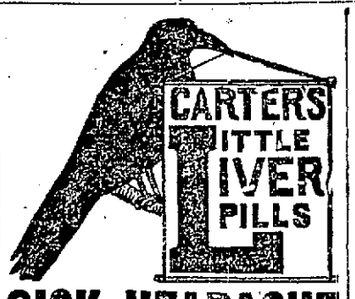

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CAPTAIN JOHNSON'S LAST VOYAGE.

Heart Disease Ends the Life of the Wealthy Ship-Owner.

Captain James Johnson of the firm of Johnson & Emigh, 9 Mission street, San Francisco, died Monday night at his residence on Claremont avenue. A widow and eleven children mourn his death. He had been ill for the last three months. For a week past his illness became so severe that all hope was given up and his children gathered around his bedside to make his last hours as easy as possible.

Dr. Woolsey, who was the attending physician, with Dr. A. M. Taylor, said last night that death was due to fatty degeneration of the heart. During the greater part of his life the deceased was an inveterate smoker.

Captain Johnson was a native of Denmark and 62 years of age. At the age of 12 he entered upon a seaman's career, and shipped on a trading vessel plying between Copenhagen and Iceland. His next trip was on an English vessel going to Australia, then he was on a ship trading at South American ports.

In 1852 he came to California and worked at odd jobs till he had gathered enough money together to run schooners upon the Sacramento river. The Capain kept increasing the business and his ships till at the time of his death he owned interest in twenty vessels besides owning valuable real estate.

In 1870 he went to Rio Vista and formed a partnership with Mr. Emigh with whom he has been associated ever since. They engaged in the shipping, commission and insurance business in San Francisco, and added to their business the two schooners Five Brothers and Seven Sisters, named after he number of his children of each sex.

All Captain Johnson's children but one survive him. James Johnson Jr., the oldest son of the deceased, died in 1895. The other members of the family who have been with him during the past six weeks are: Otto J. Johnson, a Stockton steamer pilot; Mrs. Albert Gruninger, San Francisco; William Johnson, Oakland; Mrs. F. G. Wright, Oakland; Mrs. F. R. Woolsey, Berkeley; Catherine M., Selma L., Julie U., Dagman A. and George W. Johnson.

Deceased took quite an interest in politics and was a staunch Republican, but would never accept nomination for any office. He was a past master of Rio Vista Lodge, No. 208, F. and A. M., and a member of Live Oak Lodge, No. 61; also Magnolia Lodge, I. O. O. F., San Francisco, and the Master Mariners' Benevolent Association.

ALAMEDA NEWS.

ALAMEDA, July 20.—The Board of Trustees has thrown out a number of bids for the improvement of Encinal avenue owing to the fact that the bids were not accompanied by revenue stamps. The Alice street bridge matter came up before the Trustees again, and there was a discussion as to what this city ought to do in the premises. Finally it was decided to refer the whole matter to the Bridge Committee with power to consult with the Oakland committee and report at a special meeting of the Trustees to be held on Friday evening, when the matter will be definitely settled.

Alfred Gilder, formerly of Bay Farm Island, is missing. He had worked for ten years for Amos McCartney, but about two months ago had words with him and quit. He went to Sonoma county to look after a place belonging to him, but soon returned and called on a friend here and made an appointment for the next evening. He did not keep the engagement, however, and has not since been seen. His friends are greatly worried, and some of them are inclined to think he has committed suicide.

The Hebrew Ladies' Endeavor Society has elected the following officers: President, Mrs. R. C. Brower; vice-president, Miss Lizzie Jacobs; treasurer, Mrs. J. Flossheim; financial secretary, Miss A. Judell; recording secretary, Mrs. C. Cleve; trustees, Mrs. C. Gross, Mrs. William Wolf, Mrs. Al Jacobs, Mrs. C. Gans and Miss M. Hoff.

Kind Words For the Tribune.

The Alameda Argus pays the Tribune this handsome compliment:

"The Oakland Tribune is a very superior newspaper these days, and handsomely printed. It ranks with metropolitan papers in every respect."

ENLISTMENTS UNDER SECOND CALL FOR MEN.

Several of the States Make a Poor Showing.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—Fairly good progress has been made with recruitment for the volunteer army under the President's second call for 75,000 volunteers. The plan adopted by the War Department was to recruit all the volunteer organizations in the army up to their maximum enlisted strength before entering upon the recruitment of additional troops. The total number of men required to fill out existing regiments was 37,566, and, according to the latest returns, the total enlistment under this plan are 27,519 men.

In order to show the progress of recruiting under the second call, the following statement has been prepared in the office of the Adjutant General of the army on the latest returns:

State.	Number Required.	Number Enlisted.
Alabama	675	278
Arkansas	600	376
Colorado	300	96
California	1,010	624
Connecticut	435	330
Georgia	704	255
Illinois	2,380	2,231
Indiana	1,301	1,334
Iowa	1,986	1,549
Kansas	900	618
Kentucky	938	692
Louisiana	600	142
Maine	334	150
Maryland	580	533
Massachusetts	1,536	541
Michigan	1,200	879
Minnesota	900	961
Mississippi	600	202
Missouri	1,552	1,567
Nebraska	600	167
New Hampshire	300	206
New Jersey	900	927
New York	3,704	2,733
North Carolina	783	55
Ohio	3,846	3,162
Oregon	260	163
Pennsylvania	4,163	4,087
Rhode Island	200	329
Texas	1,228	550
Tennessee	900	300
Virginia	900	234
West Virginia	300	305
Wisconsin	900	924

Indiana, Minnesota, Missouri, New Jersey, Rhode Island, West Virginia, and Wisconsin have exceeded their quota, but all the others are behind in the supply of troops. The worst delinquent is North Carolina, which has furnished only fifty-five soldiers to meet its quota of 783. Other delinquents are Colorado, Louisiana, Nebraska, Tennessee and Virginia, each of which has supplied less than one-third of the number of men required. Alabama, Massachusetts, Arkansas, Georgia, Mississippi, Oregon and Texas have done very little better, and are all very much behind in meeting the requirements.

Complaint has been made also that in several of the States an effort has been made to foist poor material on the Government. The total enlisted strength of the regular army to date is about 44,000 men, being about 18,000 short of its legal complement. The volunteer army consists of 183,000 men, and is only 17,000 short of its maximum authorized strength under the two calls issued by the President. The total strength of the army, regular and volunteer, is 227,000, as now organized.

NO MEETING HELD.

Merchants' Exchange Adjourn Out of Respect for the Dead.

The Merchants' Exchange held no protracted meeting last night but adjourned out of respect of the five citizens who had met death in the powder explosion.

There were present at the meeting George W. Arper, D. C. Brown, George T. Burtchaell, H. C. Coward, F. M. Farwell, H. D. Cushing, Theodore Gier, F. J. Lea, Fred Sinclair, J. F. W. Sohst, J. S. Wixson, Wilber Walker.

After Arper had called the meeting to order, Farwell moved to adjourn out of respect to the county officials who lost their lives in the performance of their duty. Farwell spoke particularly of Sheriff White's great affliction and his sympathy for him.

Sohst seconded the motion and the Exchange then adjourned.

VALUABLE DEPOSITS IN THE CONTRA COSTA HILLS

Fritz Boehmer of Alameda declares that there is gold in the hills near Leona Heights and in proof of his assertion exhibits a small piece of quartz rich in gold. His explorations have resulted in the discovery of extensive quarries of blue tap rock, enough to pave all the roadways of the Pacific Coast.

Judge Sheldon Spoke.

Judge Sheldon, the delegate of the National Red Cross Society addressed the local organization yesterday morning.

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